THE WEATHER.
Partly cloudy and cooler Saturday; Sunday fair.

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NOTE TO GERMANY WAS DELIVERED BY GERARD THURSDAY

Understood to Have Been Given Assurance Immediate Consideration Will be Given

BERLIN IS KEPT INFORMED

German Embassy at Washington Sending Many Dispatches Regarding Opinion Here

Washington, April 21.—Ambassador Gerard at Berlin cabled the State Department today that he had delivered the American note on submarine warfare to the German foreign office at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Secretary Lansing said later he had not been advised just when a reply might be forthcoming. Other officials indicated they expected it by the middle of next week.

Ambassador Gerard is known to have entered into a brief conversation with Foreign Minister von Jagow, after delivering the communication. Although the contents of a second message received late today from Mr. Gerard was closely guarded, it is understood that the ambassador informed the department he had been assured immediate consideration would be given to the note.

It became known tonight that several messages have been received from Ambassador Gerard during the past day or so. It was stated authoritatively that they transmitted only expressions of editorial opinion from German newspapers.

Dispatches from the ambassador are expected momentarily to give definite information regarding the views of German officials, the manner in which the note was received and forecasts of the action which will be taken by the German government in response to the demand of the United States that it declare and affect an abandonment of the present methods of conducting submarine warfare. Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, was not in Washington today. He left early today on a week-end trip. He is not expected to return to the capital until Monday unless important dispatches on the submarine controversy are received before them.

The German embassy is sending many informative dispatches to Berlin. The majority of those sent so far have contained interpretations of public and official opinion, and the ambassador's own views on the situation. It is known that Count von Bernstorff has strongly recommended to his government that it so modify submarine warfare as to bring it to what the United States regards to be within the law.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS HAS AN OVERSHADOWING EFFECT.

Paris, April 21.—The comment of the French press on President Wilson's address to Congress may be summed up in these words which the Petit Parisien prints in large type as a heading over the text of the speech:

"Never has the head of a state pronounced such grave words against a state with which it was not at war. The President's address has made a deep impression in France. All the newspapers give it the place of honor. It overshadows the British cabinet crisis and even the arrival of Russian forces at Marseilles."

PEOPLE IN BRAZIL DEEPLY IMPRESSED BY WILSON'S NOTE

Rio Janeiro, April 21.—The publication of the American note to Germany created a deep impression upon public opinion and the press. The Journal Do Commercio says:

"The United States, profoundly impressed by the responsibility it assumed in the American continent by the proclamation, adoption and preservation of the Monroe Doctrine, feels clearly that if Germany is victorious sooner or later she will turn against the United States the powerful weapons which will have conquered the great strength of the Allies. The expected action of President Wilson yesterday will be a forward march signal to the mighty American nation."

The Gazeta de Noticias says:

"North America by her diplomatic attitudes makes herself the leader of the neutral nations against piracy."

The Epoca holds that Germany's war methods place her in political circles outside the human pale and expresses no doubt that in case of war the United States will rally all the South American countries.

BERLIN OFFICE RETICENT AS TO COMMENT ON NOTE.

Berlin, April 21, via London, April 22.—Nothing has yet developed as a result of the receipt of the American note to Germany concerning Germany's submarine warfare. No expression of opinion is obtainable from the foreign office, where absolute reticence is maintained.

Neither the note nor any reference to it has been published in Germany and there is no intimation as yet when the note will be made public. The celebrations of Holy Week and of the Easter tide therefore are proceeding undisturbed by any knowledge of foreign complications.

The ministers and other officials who were entitled to it, received a copy of the note this morning and were engaged during the day in studying the document.

As far as the Associated Press has been made acquainted with the sentiment in higher quarters it would be wrong to regard it as anything but ex-

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FRENCH POSITIONS UNDER HEAVY FIRE

All the Fronts Around Verdun are Being Violently Bombarded by the German Guns

NO INFANTRY ENGA[illegible]S

Teutons Start Offensive in East Gallicia, But Petrograd Claims It Was Unsuccessful—Turks Still on the Defensive.

On all the fronts around Verdun the Germans are heavily bombarding French positions, especially those occupied by the French in their last attack around Le Mort Homme, northwest of the fortrers, and in the sector from the eastern bank of the Meuse to Fort Vaux. No infantry engagements have taken place around Verdun, although Paris records the occupation of a portion of a crater made by a German mine in the Argonne forest.

The Teutons in East Galicia, near Popovagara, went on the offensive against the Russians, but Petrograd asserts that their efforts were without result. The bombardment by the Germans of the Russians holding Ikskull bridgehead is still in progress. Father south of this point, west of Olyka and north of Mourivatza, the Germans essayed an attempt against Russian trenches but were repulsed.

On the Austro-Italian front there have been the usual artillery duels and at various points small infantry engagements. At no point, however, has any important change in position taken place.

Petrograd reports that the Russian Caucasus army continues on the offensive against the Turks in the Black Sea district of Asia Minor. Constantinople in acknowledging the occupation of Trebizond by the Russians says the town already had been evacuated in anticipation of its capture, the Turkish troops withdrawing "in accordance with instructions to a sector where they will have a new task to fulfill."

Another defeat of the British in the Tigris region near Felahie is recorded by Constantinople. The British are declared to have been forced to abandon with heavy losses advanced positions they had occupied and compelled to retreat westward.

ATTACK ON THE BRITISH MADE BY ABOUT 10,000 TURKS

London, April 21.—The recent attack of the Turks on the British forces along the Tigris, in Mesopotamia, was made by about 10,000 men and cost them heavy losses. An official account of the battle, supplementing earlier reports from the British commander, was given out today as follows:

"The enemy made his attack on the 17th and 18th with some 10,000 men, comprising one whole division, and portions of two others. They came on in dense formation and penetrated part of our front. Within 500 yards of the front of one of our brigades alone, 1,200 to 1,500 dead Turks were counted.

"It is reported they are lying thick arther out before the front on other portions of our line. Their killed alone one of the night of April 17-18 are estimated at more than 3,000. In several instances attacks were led by Germans, some of whom were killed.

"Apparently the enemy supposed that part of our troops were isolated by floods and that they had a chance of overwhelming it. As a matter of fact supports were moving up at the time.

"Our total casualties, killed, wounded and missing, were very considerably less than the Turkish killed.

"On the 18th stormy weather made air craft reconaissance very difficult. The floods are spreading and the river is still very high."

GERMAN POSITIONS NEAR GREEK BORDER AGAIN RAIDED

Paris, April 21.—Three more raids by squadrons of French aeroplanes on German positions near the Greek border are reported in a Havas dispatch from Saloniki. On Monday night French aeroplanes bombarded the German camps at Negotin and Pardovica, Serbia. On Tuesday night other French machines dropped bombs on the barracks at Gievgeli. The German hangars at Negotin, the supply station at Strumitza and the camp at Padagasi were attacked Thursday night.

The dispatch says many bombs proved to be effective.

RUSSIANS GLAD TO HAVE CHANGE TO HELP FRANCE

Marseilles, April 21.—One of the superior officers of the Russian troops expressed satisfaction to an Associated Press correpondent over the opportunity given the Russian troops to jmoin hands with their French brothers.

"The real purpose of this sending of Russian troops to France," said the

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THE DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE

Met at 11 a. m.

Resumed discussion of good roads bill providing federal aid on state projects.

Judiciary committee again postponed action on Brandeis nomination.

Sisal investigation continued.

Adjourned at 5:03 p. m. to noon Saturday.

HOUSE

Met at 11 a. m.

Consideration of Agricultural Appropriation bill continued on forestry problems.

Resolution of inquiry regarding the detention of Samuel Schwartz, an American, by British authorities, was introduced by Representative Bennett, Republican.

Adjourned at 5:30 p. m. to 11 a. m. Saturday.

WILL RETURN ALL "OFFICIAL" PAPERS

G[illegible]rnment Willing to Give Up [illegible] of the Igel Documents Identified by Bernstorff

WILL RETAIN PHOTOGRAPHS

Some of the Papers are Said to Disclose Subjects of Unusual Nature—Official Apology is Under Consideration.

Washington, April 21.—The State and Justice Departments announced today the government's willingness to return to the German embassy all the papers seized in New York with the arrest of Wolfe von Igle, which Count von Bernstorff will identify as official. Photographs of the seized documents have been made and will be retained. Count von Bernstorff protested vigorously against the taking of papers and it was said at the State Department that Secretary Lansing was considering the necessity of an official apology.

Should the ambassador assert that all the documents are official, it is understood that they will all be returned to him, but it was said to be the present intention of officials to keep all the photographic copies. Officials were interested today in learning if Count von Bernstorff would declare any documents to be the property of the German embassy. The papers were said to disclose several subjects of an unusual nature which had not before come to the attention of this government. Definite connection with the German embassy would be confirmed, it was believed, by a declaration that the documents are official. If none of the documents is declared official, it was understood, the United States will use them all in the prosecution of von Igle, his associates and possibly others as yet unnamed.

Whether Secretary Lansing would send a note to Ambassador Bernstorff expressing regret for the seizure was not announced but such action it is believed probable. It also was suggested that the State Department might delay action until the submarine dispute with Germany assumes a definite state.

EVIDENCE AS TO LEASE ON OFFICES SENT TO WASHINGTON

New York, April 21.—District Attorney Marshall forwarded to Washington today the evidence collected by Federal agents in regard to the lease of the premises at 60 Wall Street, occupied by Wolf von Igle, which is understood to show that the lease was taken in von Igel's name. This evidence was desired in connection with the settlement of the question as to whether the offices were rented by the German embassy.

FURTHER INDICTMENTS TO BE ASKED BY DEPARTMENT

Washington, April 22.—Additional indictments of German sympathizers in this country will be asked by the Department of Justice as a result of revelations made by Horst von der Goltz, alleged German spy, brought to New York by Scotland Yard detectives. This was learned authoritatively here today.

Von der Goltz's statement was said by Department officials to have opened a field "practically without limits" for investigation. The government will follow every clue. It was understood today the number of men involved in von der Goltz's activities in the United States is much larger than had been thought heretofore.

Galveston, Texas, April 21.—A British cruiser of the Essex type was off Galveston bar today. The cruiser came from the southwest, remained near the harbor entrance about an hour and disappeared toward the southeast. She did not communicate with the shore.

REPAIRS ON WARSHIPS ORDERED TO BE RUSHED

To Test How Quickly Vessels Can be Put in Readiness

Daniels Instructs Commandants at Navy Yards to Put Ships' Personnel to Work in Case of Shortage of Labor.

Washington, April 21.—Orders to speed up repair and overhaul work on vessels of the Atlantic fleet have been sent to the commandants of the various navy yards by Secretary Daniels. In case of labor shortage the commandants are instructed to expedite the work by employing the ship's personnel.

The move was explained as a "preparedness test," the execution of which would illustrate how quickly the vessels could be restored to normal condition after the strenuous winter operations and placed in readiness for the battle practices and maneuvers beginning May 20.

Assistant Secretary Roosevelt has been in conference with officials of the New York yard, attempting to arrange for the employment of a sufficient force of mechanics and other skilled men to operate that plant on a night and day schedule.

Secretary Daniels said the officials were experiencing great difficulty in securing laborers at government wages, and also by delay in delivery

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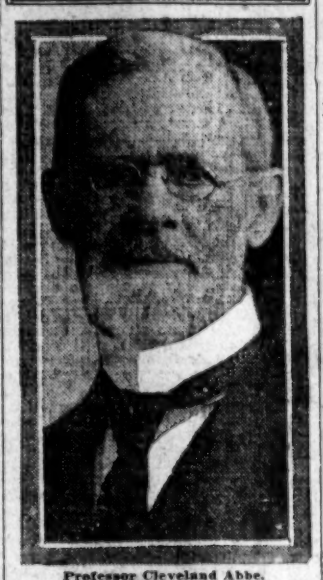
Medal for Weather Sharp



Professor Cleveland Abbe.

The National Academy of Sciences has just awarded Prof. Cleveland Abbe a medal for organization of the United States Weather Service. The award is made for "eminence in the application of science to the public welfare."

MAJOR M'KINNON HAS DEFINITELY DECIDED

To Enter the Race for Commissioner of Agriculture.

He Makes Formal Announcement. Appointment of Hollister as Pence's Successor is Confirmed—Tar Heels in Washington.

(Special Star Telegram).

Washington, D. C., April 21.—Word came to Washington today that A. J. McKinnon, of Maxton, had definitely decided to become a candidate for commissioner of agriculture to succeed Major Graham. It is understood here that Mr. McKinnon will have some of the strongest men in the State behind him.

The executive committee of the Democratic National committee today confirmed the appointment of W. R. Hollister, of Missouri, as secretary to the committee to succeed the late Thomas J. Pence. Only a few days before he died, Mr. Pence sent for Hollister and designated him to act as secretary during his illness. In naming Mr. Hol-

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Court Decision is In Favor of Bacon

DECLARED BY JUDGE TUTHILL, AT CHICAGO, TO BE AUTHOR OF WORKS OF WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE

Chicago, April 21.—Francis Bacon was declared to be the author of the works of William Shakespeare in a decision rendered in an injunction suit today by Judge Richard S. Tuthill in the circuit court. The decision dissolved an injunction issued on the petition of William N. Selig, motion picture manufacturer, to restrain George Fabyian, publisher, and others from completing publication of books supporting the Baconian theory.

The court held that the name "Shakespeare" had been used simply as a disguise.

"The claim of friends of Francis Bacon," the court said, "that he is the author of the works of Shakespeare, and the facts and circumstances in the vast bibliography of the controversy over the question and proofs submitted herein convinces the court that Francis Bacon is the author."

In his decision Judge Tuthill says:

"The court takes judicial notice of historical facts and facts well known, and finds that there has been for 60 years a controversy over the certain works published which aver the death of Shakespeare and attributed to Shakespeare, that the question also has been an open one among scholars of equal authority and standing in the world of letters, literature and knowledge as to the authorship of the above mentioned works, and that a vast bibliography, estimated by those who are in a position to know at 20,000 volumes, has been written in discussion of the vext question.

"The court further finds that by the published and acknowledge works of Francis Bacon there is given a cipher which Bacon devised in his early youth when in Paris called the Bilateral Cipher; that the witness, Elizabeth Wells Gallup, has applied that cipher according to the directions left by Francis Bacon and has found that the name and character of Shakespeare were used as a mask by Francis Bacon to publish philosophical facts, stories and statements contributing to the literary renaissance in England which has been the glory of the world."

Selig alleged that the publication of the book tending to prove that Baconwrote the Shakespeare plays would injure him in his project of making moving pictures of plays commonly attributed to Shakespeare.

CABINET DISCUSSES MEXICAN SITUATION

No Further Steps Taken, Pending Complete Report from Border by General Scott

REPLY TO CARRANZA SOON

Some Uneasiness Over Movement Supposedly Headed by Felix Diaz. Purpose May be to Undermine Carranza.

Washington, April 21.—President Wilson and the cabinet discussed the Mexican situation today, but decided on no course of action. Further steps by the United States toward the pursuit of Villa or withdrawal of the troops from Mexico will await a full report from Major General Scott, chief of staff of the army, as to conditions on the border and in Mexico.

General Scott, who reached San Antonio, Texas, tonight to confer with General Funston, was not expected to send a report on the situation until tomorrow. His full report upon which a decision as to the next step to be taken probably rests, will not be made until his return to Washington.

Pending word from General Scott, Secretary Baker reiterated his statement that no change had been made in orders to General Funston and that the department had no knowledge of any change in the latter's orders to General Pershing. No official report had been received, he said, that the expedition was at a standstill.

Americans Had Been Warned.

The secretary admitted that official dispatches had carried as a rumor the report that Mexican officers had warned General Pershing not to proceed south of Parral. It was learned at the State Department that a report to this effect was transmitted some days before the Parral incident through consular agents. Mr. Baker insisted that the warning had made no change in the department's orders to the border forces.

It was indicated tonight that a reply to General Carranza's telegram regarding the clash at Parral and asserting that the American government had violated his orders and the agreement with the de facto government in entering the town would be dispatched soon. War Department officials say the report on the incident from General Pershing, Major Tompkins and other officers is now complete. It has been withdrawn from publication on account of the flat contradiction it contains of the Mexico City advices from General Carranza as to the part his troops played in the fighting.

With this report as a basis the Parral incident will be treated as a matter entirely separate from the suggestion of the defacto government that the troops be withdrawn. Officials indicated that General Carranza's attention would be called to the discrepances in the two versions. They thought it unlikely he would attempt to uphold his original report in the light of more recent information and no lengthy correspondence is looked for.

Diaz Movement Causing Concern

While immediate interest naturally centers in the situation as to the troops in Mexico, there were renewed indications about the State Department today that a wholly different aspect of the Mexican problem was causing growing concern. That is the movement supposedly headed by Felix Diaz, nephew of the former Mexican dictator, for a new revolution against the de facto government. None of the information upon which the uneasiness rests has been disclosed. It is known, however, that several Mexicans in the United States are being closely watched and it is possible that some of the anti-American feeling in Chihuahua state, which has met the troops pur-

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BRITISH PRISONERS OF WAR HARSHLY TREATED

Were Forced to Drink Blood of Oxen for Nourishment?

Report is Made of Conditions in the Campaign Against the Germans in Southwest Africa—Suffering Now Relieved.

London, April 21.—A Reuter dispatch from Cape Town, dealing with the report of a commission of inquiry into the treatment of prisoners of war by the Germans in Southwest Africa follows:

"A sensation has been caused by the publication of the official report of the commission of inquiry into the treatment of prisoners of war by the Germans in the Southwest African campaign, revealing another story of the shocking treatment of British prisoners and showing a complete lack of organization or central control.

"Food rations were coarse and became so insufficient that men were reduced to waiting in line to drink the blood of slaughtered oxen and to boiling the soft parts of hides to extract nourishment. They were scantily clad and harshly treated, some being sent on long railway journeys clad in a tunic, a short loin cloth, and sandals and helmet, a spectacle, says the report, for women natives who saw them on the road. The German governor, Seits, ordered them placed in irons during their transit. One officer, Cap-

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SCOTT COMMENCES HIS INVESTIGATION

Personally Discusses the Mexican Problem With General Funstan at Fort Sam Houston

MAY RETURN IN DAY OR TWO

Professes to Not Know Whether Troops are to be Withdrawn Before Villa is Captured—Pershing's Men Continue Inactive.

San Antonio, Texas, April 21.—Major General Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff of the United States army, and Major General Funston, in charge of operations along the frontier and in Mexico, personally discussed the problems tonight which have grown out of the punitive expedition in pursuit of Villa.

General Scott arrived from Washington tonight and was met by General Funston, the two immediately went to General Funston's headquarters at Fort Sam Houston.

General Scott professed not to know whether the American troops were to be recalled without having captured Villa. He was sent here by Secretary of War Baker to discuss the situation in detail with General Funston and to make to the secretary a personal report. General Scott does not intend going to El Paso or Columbus.

It is believed at department headquarters that the investigation General Scott has been asked to make will not keep him here more than a day or two at the most, since there are in the possession of Major Halvern-Hill Barnum, General Funston's chief of staff, the details of the records of the campaign since the troops crossed into Mexico opposite Columbus, N. M., and this was subject to General Scott's inspection today.

General Pershing's army continued its inactivity today awaiting instructions from General Funston which he was able to give pending the determination and announcement of the administration's policy regarding the punitive expedition.

CARRANZA MIGHT PERMIT USE OF RAILROAD FOR WITHDRAWAL

El Paso, Texas, April 21.—It was stated unofficially in Juarez that General Carranza will in all probability place the Mexican railroads at the disposal of General Pershing if the expeditionary force was withdrawn. General Gavira, the Juarez commander, while declining to make a definite statement, expressed his belief that the use of the railroads for the withdrawal of the American troops would not be regarded unfavorably by the Carranza government.

"To have given the railroads to the American troops entering Mexico," said General Gavira, "would have been a step which undoubtedly would have been resented by the Mexican people, but to permit them to use the railroads to leave Mexico would be a very different matter. Mexico has a warm regard for President Wilson and believes he is a true friend of our republic."

OPERATIONS FROM THE BASE AT COLUMBUS, N. M., CONTINUES

Columbus, N. M., April 21.—Pending the outcome of the conferences to be held in San Antonio between Major General Hugh L. Scott and Major General Frederick Funston preparations were made here to continue operations from this base.

A quantity of food, forage and equipment was unloaded and two heavily laden truck trains, each consisting of 27 motor trucks, left for the front. Accompanying the trains were several field motor ambulances. Several members of the army aero corps prepared for service two of the new biplanes ordered for expeditionary purposes. It was said the plants would be erected and ready for trial flights tomorrow.

Erection of the barbed wire stokade for confinement of Villa prisoners was completed today.

EIGHT MORE DELEGATES FOR SERVICE IN BELGIUM NEEDED

Bread Lines Increasing and Number of Destitute Persons Growing.

New York, April 21.—Because of the increase of bread lines and the growing number of destitute persons in Belgium and northern France, it was announced here today, the Commission for Relief in Belgium has issued a call for eight additional delegates of American birth and parentage to volunteer for duty in the stricken territory.

"Flag Day" contributions to the relief fund, according to the Daughters of the American Revolution, probably will reach a total of $350,000. Contributions totaling $110,000 already have been received from 15 states.

An advertising campaign will be begun here Monday to obtain funds to feed 500,000 destitute women and children in Belgium and northern France for one week.

Washington, April 21.—The House today rejected on a point of order a proposal by the Agricultural Department to include in the annual agricultural appropriation bill an item of $175,000 to investigate the best method of obtaining potash in the United States on a commercial basis. Extensive experiments at Kelp factories on the Pacific coast were contemplated under the provision.

WILSON GETS MORE VOTES THAN ALL THE REPUBLICANS

Helena, Mont., April 21.—Scattered returns received early tonight from today's presidential primary indicated that President Wilson polled more votes than all of his Republican opponents together. Colonel Roosevelt's name was written on the ballot by about one-fourth of the Republican voters.

EVANGELIST MAKES POWERFUL APPEAL IN GREAT SERMON

Deep Solemnity Marks Closing Service of Second Week of Revival Campaign.

A PROFOUND IMPRESSION

High School Student Delegation Attends Meeting in the Tabernable Last Night

For an hour last night an immense audience in the Tabernacle for the Chapman-Alexander meetings in Wilmington listened to one of the strongest and most compelling sermons that Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, the famous evangelist, has preached since the great revival campaign began in this city two weeks ago. The evangelist put all the force of his wonderful personality into an appeal that was marked by intense earnestness and persuasive eloquence.

The service was a fitting close to the religious services of Good Friday, which had been held in many Wilmington churches, and the solemnity of the occasion caused the evangelist to make his appeal, especially to Christian people, that all present would in mind and heart decide to take their stand for God.

The text, "And Judas Iscariot," was from Mark 3:19, and while the evangelist pictured with graphic words the fate of this man, as told in the scriptures, he closed with the assertion that even Judas, with all the ignominy commonly ascribed to him, might yet have found forgiveness from the Man of God, whom he had betrayed, had he instead of committing suicide, waited and begged mercy from his Master.

The colored delegation of a hundred or more men and women joined in the service last night with much interest. At the suggestion of Mr. Charles M. Alexander, they sang the familiar refrain of "'Tis the Old Time Religion," after which the audience of more than 4,000 people joined them, swelling the chorus into a mighty volume of praise.

Delegation of Students.

A delegation of High school students and members of the eighth grade of the city grammar schools attended the service in a body and occupied seats to the left of Tabernacle. Their voices made sweet music as they sang "Jesus Passed Through Jericho." Mr. Alexander was greatly pleased and praised them for the splendid manner in which they sang.

Mr. Brown, the soloist, with his rich baritone voice that penetrated to the farthest recesses of the immense building, sang with evident earnestness a solo, "He Died of a Broken Heart." Other selections by the choir and audience included "I Love to Tell the Story," "There is a Fountain Filled With Blood," "Alas, and Did My Saviour Bleed" and "Almost Persuaded."

No Services Today.

Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells announced that a special service would be held in the Tabernacle Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock to which everybody is invited. He especially urged that those present would seek to bring those who have not been attending church. Sunday night beginning at 7:30 o'clock another service will be held. There will be no services today, the members of the evangelistic party taking Saturday as their day of rest.

In beginning his sermon, Dr. Chapman announced that he preached the same sermon in Roanoke several years ago when Rev. Dr. William H. Milten, of this city, resided there and that it was at his request that he preached on the subject last night. "I am not altogether responsible for the sermon I preach this evening," he stated. "A few years ago I conducted services in Roanoke and Dr. Milton, who was living in that city, joined most heartily with us. He has suggested that I preach this sermon tonight."

Dr. Chapman closed his sermon with an appeal for those who would make a profession of faith to come forward. While the number was not as large as at some of the previous services, there were two score or more. The service closed with the benediction by Dr. Wells. Bishop Thomas C. Darst made the opening prayer.

Dr. Chapman's Sermon.

Dr. Chapman took as his text for his sermon last evening St. Mark 3:19, "And Judas Iscariot." He said in part:

"There is something about the name of this man which rivets our atetntion at once, and yet how infrequently do ministers preach about him. Riding along the train one day in California I saw in great headlines Judas Iscariot. I thought that some men had betrayed his trust and the story of his failure was printed, but when I turned to read I found that a minister had been preaching about Judas Iscariot, and then I remember that I had never used him as a warning, and I had never heard anyone else use him as a warning, and yet to me it is the most striking and, at the same time, the most awful story in the New Testament. He is the last one of the twelve mentioned, and it is equally significant that the first one mentioned is St. Peter. Both of them failed. In some respects St. Peter's failure was greater than that of Judas, but one of them repented and became a great preacher and a marvelous man. The other persisted in sin and his end was despair.

"When we are reading this list of the twelve Apostles it is well to remember that there was but one Judas Iscariot, and the eleven others were true. When you are hurling the charge of hypocrisy at the church, do not forget the faithful followers of Christ, who have proven themselves true under all circumstances and conditions. Different names affect us different. We read the story of St. John and think of love; of St. Peter and are impressed

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Baseball Boating Yachting Angling

SPORTS

Motoring Aeronautics Tennis Golf, Etc.

ATHLETICS WIN THEIR FIRST OF THE SEASON

Tigers Beat White Sox With Crawford and Cobb Absent

Yankees Defeat the Senators in Seven Inning Game, Halted by Rain —Browns Win From the Cleveland Naps 11 to 1.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Washingon 3, New York 5.
At Philadelphia 3, Boston 1.
At Detroit 3, Chicago 2.
At St. Louis 11, Cleveland 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Cleveland at St. Louis.
Chicago at Detroit.
New York at Washington.
Boston at Philadelphia.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Boston	7	2	.778
St. Louis	5	3	.625
Detroit	5	3	.625
New York	5	4	.556
Chicago	5	5	.500
Washington	4	4	.500
Cleveland	2	5	.286
Philadelphia	1	6	.143

Detroit, April 21.—Without the services of Crawford and Cobb, both of whom were too sick to play today, Detroit defeated Chicago, 3 to 2. Jackson misjudged Vitt's short fly in the seventh inning, but after a desperate run reached it, caught it, fell headlong, rolled over and then dropped the ball. This mishap allowed Stanage to score from third with the winning run.

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Danforth, Scott, Russell and Schalk; Dauss and Stanage.

Philadelphia, April 21.—Philadelphia gave a splendid exhibition in all departments today and defeated the Bostons, 3 to 1, it being the first victory of the home team this season. Myers held Boston to four hits while the home team knocked Pennock off the rubber in five innings.

Boston . . . . .000 000 001—1 4 0
Philadelphia . . .010 010 10*—3 12 0

Pennock, Jones and Agnew, Thomas; Myers and Meyer.

Washington, April 21.—New York beat Washington today, 5 to 3 in a game halted by rain at the end of the seventh inning. Rondeau's home run sent in two runs ahead of him in the fourth inning, the only one in which Washington tallied.

New York . . ...100 200 2—5 11 1
Washington . . .000 300 0—3 5 3

Caldwell and Alexander; Dumont, Gallia and Henry.

St. Louis, April 21.—Groom held Cleveland to one hit while his team mates were pounding the opposition pitchers for 13 hits, and St. Louis won the opening game of the American League season here today, 11 to 1. Groom held the visitors helpless until the ninth when, with one out, Smith doubled against the right field fence, scoring Speaker.

St. Louis . . ...400 110 14*—11 13 1
Cleveland . . . .000 000 001— 1 1 7

Mitchell, Coveleskie, Herman and O'Neill; Groom and Hartley.

GUILFORD WINS FROM WAKE FOREST BY 9 TO 2 SCORE

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wake Forest, N. C., April 21.—Guilford took ample revenge for the severe drubbing administered to her by Wake Forest early in the season by defeating the Baptist nine today, 9 to 2. The Quaker nine had on their batting clothes and hit the offerings of three pitchers for 14 hits. Finch pitched a strong game, having only one bad inning when Wake Forest bunched three hits, a home run by Vassey, a two-bagger by Ferre and Herndon's single, netting two runs.

Guilford tied the score in the seventh and forged two runs ahead in the eighth, Schary hitting over the score board for three bases with one man on. Five more runs were added in the last inning.

Wake Forest . . .030 000 000—2 8 5
Guilford . . . .000 100 125—9 4 1

Lewis, Moore and Vassey; Finch and Futrell. Umpire, Caddell.

WAKE FOREST AND RICHMOND TRACK TEAMS MEET TODAY

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wake Forest, N. C., April 21.—The Wake Forest track team left Elon College this morning, following the meet with that institution Thursday afternoon, for Richmond, Va., where on Saturday afternoon they will engage Richmond college in a dual meet on Stadium Field. Coach Bird and the following seventeen men constitute the squad: Herring, Harris, Jordan, Shields, Dowell, Haynes, Daniel, McLendon, Childress, Smith, Captain Powell, McKaughan, Thompson, Langston, Savage and Ferrell.

The Baptist squad will feel the absence of Warren, who is unable to make the trip on account of recent sickness. He is counted as sure winner in the pole vault, but aside from him the rest of the players are in the best of condition and promise to give a good account of themselves.

YALE AND PENNSYLVANIA CREWS READY FOR RACES

Philadelphia, April 21.—The Yale and University of Pennsylvania crews had their final workouts on the Schuylkill river today in preparation for tomorrow's races. Both crews were on the river in the morning and this afternoon but neither was given severe work.

The blue's varsity and junior eights paddled over two miles and a half course and were timed in a quarter mile sprint. The times were announced as one minute, five and a half seconds for the varsity and one minute, two seconds lower for the junior boat. The Pennsylvania crew made a similar trial covered the distance a fifth of a second faster.

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Carolina Loses To Penn State 15 To 9

In 10-Inning Swatfest at Chapel Hill —Four Home Runs, Two Triples, Two Doubles, 21 Singles, Registered.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., April 21.—Carolina lost to Penn State here today 15 to 9 in a ten-inning swatfest. Four home runs, two triples, two doubles and 21 singles were registered up during the game. Aycock was batted out of the box in the first inning and his place was taken by Cuthrell, who kept things pretty well in hand until the tenth when the visitors pushed six men across the plate. Three twirlers went in for Penn State.

Carolina . . . .020 010 213 0— 9 14 2
Penn State . . .502 000 002 6—15 15 1

Two-base hits, Patterson, Bennett. Three-base hits, Hart, Moore. Home runs, Massey, Benentt, Johnston, Wheeling. Bases on balls, off Aycock 1, Cuthrell 4, Baughman 1. Struck out, by Aycock 1, Cuthrell 3, Baughman 1, Davis 1 Wardwell 1. Sacrifice hits Massey, Lewis 2. Hit by pitched ball, Weatherald, Johnston. Stolen bases, Bennett, Zollicoffer. First base on errors, Herty, Blythe. Time 2:40. Umpire Pierson. Scorer, Bridges.

Aycock, Cuthrell and Hart; Baughman, Davis, Wardwell and Moore.

MINOR LEAGUES.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE

At Augusta 7; Columbia 2.
At Charleston 2; Jacksonville 1. (11 innings).
At Montgomery 2; Macon 3.
At Columbus 2; Albany 4.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

At Atlanta 4; New Orleans 7.
At Chattanooga 2; Nashville 3.
At Birmingham 10; Mobile 6.
At Little Rock 13; Memphis 8.

COLLEGE BASEBALL

At Lexington, Va.: Lehigh 3, Washingtn and Lee 1.
At Athens, Ga.: Georgia 4, Clemson 1.
At Wake Forest, N. C.: Wake Forest College 2, Guilford College 9.
At Greenville, S. C.: Davidson 4, Furman 2.
At Providence, R. I.: Brown 18, New York University 4.
At Gainesville, Fla.: University of Tennessee 10, University of Florida 2.
At Baltimore, Md.: Harvard 12, Johns Hopkins 3.

BASEBALL RESULTS.

At Raleigh, N. C.: Raleigh (Carolina) 4; Rocky Mount (Virginia) 2.
At Newport News: Buffalo Internationals 9; Newport News (Virginia) 6.
At Norfolk, Va.: Norfolk (Virginia) 6; Durham (Carolina) 1.

PARKTON LOSES TO YOUNG MEN'S CLUB, FAYETTEVILLE

Fayetteville, April 21.—Erratic support caused Williamson, pitching for Parkton, to lose a beautiful pitchers duel to Fisher of the Young Men's club, of this city, here yesterday afternoon by a 4 to 0 score. Both twirlers pitched good ball and neither deserved to lose.

Errors by Williamson's teammates let in three runs in the fifth and sixth innings. Then the infield became so engrossed in an argument with the umpire in the seventh that McNeill was allowed to steal home with Fayetteville's fourth run. Each pitcher allowed five hits. Williamson fanned 16 men, whiffing six of the first seven batters that faced him. Fisher fanned one. Each man walked two, both of the Parkton pitcher's passes turning into runs.

Williamson not only pitched a good game but had a perfect batting record. He walked once, was hit once, and made two singles. Ewing got two of Fayetteville's five hits. McNeill's short-stopping and Person's catching were fielding features.

Parkton . . . .000 000 000—0 5 5
Fayetteville . . .000 012 10*—1 5 2

Batteries: Williamson and L. McMillan; Fisher and Person.

SCOUT LEAGUE OPENS

First Game of Season Played Yesterday Between Troops Ten and Eight.

The first baseball game of the season of Boys' Scout League was played yesterday at Front and Queen between trop No. 10 and troops No. 8. The former won by a score of 41 to 1. The game was a slow one but interesting to the spectators and those taking part.

The features were the hitting of Holden, who got three home runs, and of Smith, Hannah, Farmer and Warren, each of whom got three-base hits. Hannah, Smith, Warren, Farmer and Padgett went up six times and each brought in six runs. The losing team was able to strike out four of the strong batters of its opponents.

Mr. Heman Shaw, of the High school, acted in the capacity of umpire.

VIRGINIA VICTORIOUS OVER PRINCETON NINE; SCORE 2 TO 1

Charlottesville, Va., April 21.—University of Virginia won from Princeton 2 to 1 here today. The winning run came in the ninth inning when Chaplin issued two passes, Berkeley sacrificed and Douglas fumbled a throw to the plate. Driggs' home run was the visitors' only tally.

Virginia . . . .010 000 001—2 5 1
Princeton . . . . .010 000 000—1 2 2

Galloway and Gwaltney; Chaplin and Douglas.

YALE WINS IN CLOSE GAME WITH PENNSYLVANIA NINE

Philadelphia, April 21.—Walsh's three bagger in the third inning with two errors by Pennsylvania enabled Yale to win an otherwise closely contested game here today, 1 to 0. Pennsylvania did not get a man past second base while Walsh was the only visitor to pass that bag.

Yale 1 5 1
Pennsylvania 0 5 2

Walsh and Munson; Swigler and Gilmore.

DEMAREE FOR PHILLIES BEATS FORMER MATES

Holds the Giants Down to Three Hits---Score 6 to 2

Pirates Blank the St. Louis Cardinals With 8 to 0 Score---Dodgers Overwhelm the Braves in Miserably Played Game.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At New York 0, Philadelphia 1.
At Pittsburgh 8, St. Louis 0.
At Boston 3, Brooklyn 10.
At Chicago-Cincinnati, rain.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Brooklyn at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
St. Louis at Pittsburg.
Cincinnati at Chicago.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	6	1	.857
Cincinnati	5	3	.625
Boston	3	3	.500
St. Louis	4	4	.500
Chicago	3	4	.429
Pittsburg	3	6	.333
Brooklyn	2	4	.333
New York	1	5	.167

New York, April 21.—The Philadelphia champions defeated New York again today, 6 to 2. Demaree, a former New York pitcher, held his one time team mates to three hits, two o fthem and a base on ball scoring the Giants' runs in the fourth inning.

Philadelphia . . . .000 100 131—6 10 0
New York . . . .000 200 000—2 3 3

Demaree and E. Burns; Anderson and Rariden.

Pittsburgh, April 21.—Pittsburgh defeated St. Louis 8 to 0 here today, Harmon holding the visitors to two hits. Voix knocked a home run with two men on bases in the eighth inning.

St. Louis . . . . .000 000 000—0 2 2
Pittsburgh . . . .040 100 03*—8 11 2

Steel, Hall and Williams; Harmon and Schmidt.

Boston, April 21.—Brooklyn defeated Boston, 10 to 3 in a miserably played game this afternoon. Olson and Maranville had a fist fight in the opening after Maranville plunged against Olson when the latter caught him off third. Only a few blows landed and both were banished by Umpire Rigler.

Broklyn . . . ...300 005 101—10 12 3
Boston . . . .000 300 000— 3 7 10

Pfeffer and McCarthy; Nehf, Knetzer and Gewdy, Tragressor.

Davidson Loses To Trinity On Track

METHODISTS TAKE 10 FIRSTS OUT OF TOTAL OF 13 EVENTS IN CONTEST WITH PRESBYTERIANS AT DURHAM.

(Special Star Telegram).

Trinity College, N. C., April 21.—Taking 10 first places out of a total of 13 events, Trinity today overwhelmed Davidson in a track meet by the score of 81 to 36. Ruff, of Trinity, was the star of the meet, taking first place in every event he entered for a total of 15 points. The list of events and the winners with their records follow:

100 yard dash—Ruff and Graham, Trinity; Morrison, Davidson. Time 10:4.

Low Hurdles—Price, J. H., and Toms, Trinity; Perry, Davidson. Time 28:4.

Mile Run—Brand, Davidson; Smathers, and Price, R. M., Trinity. Time 5:54.2.

220-yard dash—Ruff, Trinity; Morrison, Davidson; Huntley, Trinity—Time 23:8.

High jump—Matton, Hoyle, Garriss, all of Trinity. Heights 5 feet 4 1-2 inches.

High hurdles—Price, J. H. and Hoyle, Trinity; Finley, Davidson. Time 17:4.

Discus throw — Grey Davidson; Tompson and Armstrong, Trinity; Distance 106 feet 3 inches.

440-yard dash—Crouch, Davidson; Merril, Trinity; Morrison, Davidson. Time 55:4.

Pole vault—Matton and Giles, Trinity; Perry, Davidson. Height 10 feet 4 1-4 inches.

Two mile run—Osborne, Trinity; Brand, Davidson; Newton, Trinity. Time 10:43.6.

Shot put—Thompson, Trinity; Grey, Davidson; Armstrong, Trinity. Distance 36 feet 1 inch.

Half mile—Coman, Trinity; Crouch and Finley, Davidson. Time 2:11.

Broad jump—Ruffin, Trinity; Perry, Davidson; Hoyle, Trinity. Distance 21 feet 6 inches.

THEATRICAL

It's a sad business—this sleep walking business. But, oh well, if a lady walks in her sleep and insists upon coming into Mr. Rawsberry's room despite the protests of her husband, what can anyone do about it? It certainly is not done in the best regulated apartment hotels, but somnambulism is something that cannot be guarded against. Mr. Rawsberry was very anxious that the lady should not come anywhere near him, as her husband had, on many previous occasions, threatened him that if he, said husband, ever caught Rawsberry even looking out of the corner of his eye on a dark night in the general direction of his, said husband's wife, there would be an assault, murder in the first degree, and a general massacre, all committed on one and the same person, i.e. Mr. Rawsberry.

It is all in "Caught in a Skyscraper" that great two-reel L-Ko scream on today's bill at the Bijou. Pretty Gertrude Selby is a sleep walker—she works while they sleep. In one scene she is up high on the ledge of the skyscraper, following the straight and narrow path which leads to destruction on the street 17 stories below. It is a gay life if one doesn't weaken. Others in the melee are Harry Gribbon, Vin Moore and May Emery.

Animated Weekly today contains the latest from the Mexican chase, showing cavalry on the chase, wagon train of 23rd infantry crossing the border, going through a Mexican village, mountain battery in action, also the last moving pictures taken of the bandit Villa, whose head is worth $50,000. There is also a comedy drama, "There's No Place Like Home," on today's bill.

"Souls in Bondage."

Throbbing with fulsome emotions, hinged on a theme of vital human appeal to everyone, as it concerns the happiness and the welfare of the girls and women of our nation, "Souls in Bondage," is designed to realize, delicately, yet forcefully, a strong moral lesson as intense as it is gripping and should prove a vital factor in any community in which it is shown for betterment of certain conditions that exist.

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Nance O'Neil's breadth of emotional expression finds in this "Love's Miserere" the ablest and fullest scope, and she registers the varying shades of feeling with equal facility as she did on the stage.

The flashes of the sordid side of life, used only so much as are necessary, are used in an expert way which merely contrasts the two sides of human life—the good and the bad, teaching a strong moral lesson that must appeal to every sensible person.

Comedy Day at Grand.

Today at the Grand lovers of good comedy are in for a treat. The management has booked one of those great special production, Keystone comedy features, "The Little Teacher," in which is featured a big bunch of large stars, including Mabel Normand, "Fatty" Arbuckle, Owen Moore, the husband of Mary Pickford, and Mack Sennett himself, the producer of all the Keystones.

"The Little Teacher" is a riot from the first to the last flash—one continual round of fun and frivolity. "Fatty" Arbuckle who has not been seen in Wilmington in a long while, takes a leading role, playing opposite that pretty Keystone star, Mabel Normand, better known as "Keystone Mabel." Then there's Owen Moore and Mack Sennett himself bring up the rear. It's a great treat—and don't you miss it.

"Oscar the Oyster Opener" is a great Falstaff comedy feature, that is also on today's all-comedy line-up. Then there's the current number of "See America First" with its incident cartoon comedy "Keeping Up With the Joneses." It's a great all-comedy day at the Grand.

WAKE FOREST WINS OVER ELON COLLEGE IN TRACK MEET

Elon College, N. C., April 21.—Wake Forest won in the track meet here yesterday over Elon 94 to 32 points. Elon scored only two firsts, in pole vault and hammer throw, and only four seconds, in shot put, pole vault, one-half mile and discus. Wake Forest succeeded in winning all nine points in the broad jump. The locals were handicapped by having several of their best men out of the game because of sickness.

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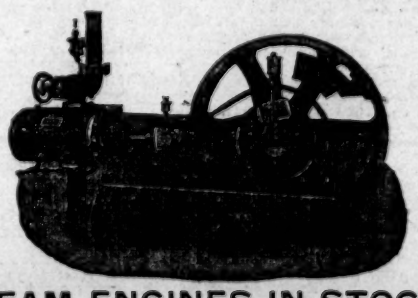

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EVANGELIST MAKES POWERFUL APPEAL IN GREATSERMON

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with his enthusiasm; of St. Paul and we are swayed by his intellect, but we read the story of Judas with perfect horror, and he brings to our attention the picture of a lost opportunity, for he might have been true; of heartless betrayal, for notwithstanding the fact that he knew that Christ was true, he sold Him. As we read of him we hear the clinking of the thirty pieces of silver,—as he doubtless hears it today himself, and we behold him in his miserable death, which is an illustration of the texts,—"The wages of sin is death.'

"The Scriptures concerning him are no so very clear. The four Gospels tell us of his call to service, and the account of the call in each is the same, except he is differently named. St. Mathew and St. Mark speak of him as a betrayer, and St. Luke calls him a traitor, while St. John says he is a devil. The following incidents are the striking points in the story of his life. His rebuke of the woman,—St. John 12:4-6, when she poured out the ointment in the presence of Jesus, and this rebuke shows the wickedness of his nature. His bargaining with the enemies of Jesus for his betrayal, St. Matthew 26:14-16, and this shows the heartlessness of his nature. His delivery of Jesus into the hands of his enemies, St. Matthew 26:47-49, and this is indescribable cruelty. Then comes his awful end. His remorse is pictured in St. Matthew 27:3-4, and his suicide graphically described in St. Matthew 27:5.

Why Was He Chosen?

"So many times we hear people saying, 'Why did the Lord ever choose him?' but it is just as great a problem to know why the Lord ever chose any of us. We know our weakness; we know how faulty we are, and it is one of the marvels of His grace that He called us to follow Him. There are those who say that Jesus did not know concerning Judas, and that his moral failure was a surprise to our Lord, but this is a very incorrect position to take. Let us not limit our Lord in His knowledge; remember His statements in St. John 6:64, 6:70 and 13:8. I think he was chosen in order that he might serve as a great warning to us all. The Bible is full of such warnings. There is Jonah seeking to go to Tarsus when God wanted him at Ninevah, a striking warning to all who would go contrary to the law of God. There is Jacob deceiving his father, and being deceived by his sons, proving that what we sow we reap. There is Esau shedding tears because his birthright privilege is gone, saying that things done cannot be undone. There is Saul sparing Agag and the flock, and being discovered in his sin, proving that our sins will find us out, and Judas is just the story of a lost opportunity.

"I was once pastor of a church in Schuylerville, New York, where stands the famous Burgoyne Battle monument. I went one day to see it for the first time. It seemed to me to be perfect, and as you climb the steps in the interior of the monument, the story of that conflict and victory may be read in the tablets on every side, but when I studied the monument from the outside, I found that there was a niche in each side of the monument, and that only three of them were filled with the statues of distinguished men. I called the attention of my friends to what I thought was an unfinished piece of work, only to have him tell me that was the sad story of the monument, and that the vacant niche might have been filled by Benedict Arnold if he had been true, but like Judas Iscariot, he was false and the niche was vacant. It would be sad indeed if God had a plan for your life and you should miss it, a niche for you to fill and it should remain unfilled, and Judas Iscariot stands out before us warning us of this danger.

A Lesson to Christians.

"His names are many. He is a betrayer a traitor, a thief and devil, but the most significant name that could be applied to him would be that of 'castaway,' for a 'castaway' is one who has been set aside because he can be no longer useful. Alas, there are many ministers sometimes who lose the true conception of the deity of Jesus; who lose confidence in the Bible as the Word of God, and they drift and are set aside. Some fall morally and God cannot use them, and so they are set aside and become castaway. The sin of Judas made slow progress, but sure progress. His initial sin seems to me to have been ambition. How many have wrecked their homes just here because of social ambitions, commercial ambitions, selfish ambitions; their children have failed and they themselves have drifted. Ambition with Judas gave way to dishonesty, and he became a thief. The sins of our lives are like links in a chain and sooner or later they will bind us, and Judas Iscariot swinging himself out into Eternity is an awful warning of danger ahead.

The End.

"Judas was heartless in his treatment of Jesus. It was after the most touching scene of the life of our Lord, ater He had been in Gethsemane; ater He had bowed on His knees in agony, while the blood-drops were still upon His face, that Judas went forward to kiss Him, and thus to betray Him. His death is indescribably sad. I can imagine him going out to the place of suicide, thinking of what he might have been, remembering how the Lord loved him, and yet all is lost and Judas Iscariot is facing Eternity. I can but ask myself the question, however, 'What would have been his end if he had only waited?' and when he heard that Jesus had risen from the dead, 'what if he had gone to the Emmaus way and just waited, waited until Jesus came near?' he himself hiding perhaps behind some great live oak and just waiting, then spinging out into the Master's presence. 'What if he had fallen upon his face at the Master's feet, saying, 'O Jesus, have mercy. It is true I sold Thee for silver and betrayed Thee with a kiss, but I have a broken heart and I sincerely repent.' I believe that Jesus would have taken him in His arms, kissed away his tears, forgiven his sins and made him one of His best of followers.

"We have the same Saviour today and in His name I call you to repent and turn to God, or He will have mercy and He will abundantly pardon."

MORE GOOD NEWS.

Great Union Prayer Meeting in Washington, Pa., Sends Greetings.

Good news continues to come to Dr. Chapman concerning the working in Washington, Pennsylvania. As an expression of gratitude to God for the work done, a great meeting for prayer and thanksgiving was held in the Methodist Protestant church, and the following telegram has just been received by Dr. Chapman sent by the pastor of the Methodist Protestant church, who was chairman of the general committee:

"At a great union prayer-meeting held in the Methodist Protestant church the brethren send you greetings and assure you of their prayers and good wishes, and also express their appreciation of the great good wrought in our midst.

"GEORGE C. SHEPPARD."

ARCTIC AND WHITE SEA PORTS OF RUSSIA CLOSED

Russian Embassy Dispatches Offer No Explanation of the Move.

Washington, April 21.—Russian embassy dispatches announcing the closing of Arctice and White Sea ports offer no explantion. It was said at the embassy that the suspension of traffic will be complete except in the case of vessels carrying government cargoes and even in that case they can secure admission to the ports only by special permit from Petrograd.

It is assumed by officials here that the closure is a purely military measure incident to the use of the ports for embarkation for the heavy Russian reinforcements going forward to France.

BRITISH PRISONERS OF WAR HARSHLY TREATED

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tain Geary, was held in solitary confinement for six months in a small cell of filthy sanitary canditions and infested with vermin and threatened with confinement in a dark cell if he dared look out of the window.

"When officers complained to Governor Seitz he told them they ought to be thankful for what they got. The ill treatment was not fined to war prisoners. British civilians who were political prisoners with women and children were confined in common jails sleeping ten in a single cell with locked doors, resulting in sickness and dysentery, owing to the disgusting sanitary conditions.

"The report was discussed in the house, assembly members demanding that the guilty German officers be brought to justice. General Louis Botha, in reply, deprecated hate or revenge. He said that he had already protested to the German authorities and was in communication with the home government and added that happily the prisoners had been released and were no longer suffering."

REPAIRS ON WARSHIPS ORDERED TO BE RUSHED

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of materials ordered for repair work and construction of the vessels now being built. Offers of better pay and advantages of extra work at double time, he said, were attracting the workmen to private employ and creating scarcity of labor in the yards.

WARSHIPS AT BOSTON ARE BEING PUT IN READINESS

Boston, April 21.—Seven thousand blue jackets at the Charlestown navy yard were put in overalls today for the purpose of making the 30 war vessels in the harbor ready for sea at the earliest possible hour. It was authoritatively stated that virtually every ship would be at the top notch of efficiency in 15 days.

The enlisted men are being employed because of the difficulty in obtaining civilian mechanics.

Half of the 7,000 had been recalled from furloughs and shore leaves.

"It is a measure of preparedness," it was officially explained.

The vessels to be overhauled include six battleships with a total of about 5,000 officers and men; ten torpedo boat destroyers, three scout cruisers, one submarine and several auxiliary ships.

CHAPMANISMS

Judas Iscariot was an arch hypocrite, but he has many counterparts in the life of today.

When you are criticising the hypocrisy of the Church, do not forget to pay a tribute to the faithful followers of Jesus Christ.

There were twelve Apostles and only one of them finally disgraced his Lord.

St. Peter failed as well as Judas, but he repented, while Judas plunged the deeper into sin.

The difficulty with us today is not found in the fact that we sin, but that when we sin we do not sincerely and honestly repent.

Jesus was absolutely fair with Judas Iscariot, and He is also fair with you. It is because He has dealt fairly with us that our judgment will be the more severe if we finally reject Him.

Up to the very last moment when Judas Iscariot left the feast with Jesus he could have turned away from sin and been true.

Judas Iscariot with his own hand closed the door of hope, and the same has been true of every man since who has been hopeless.

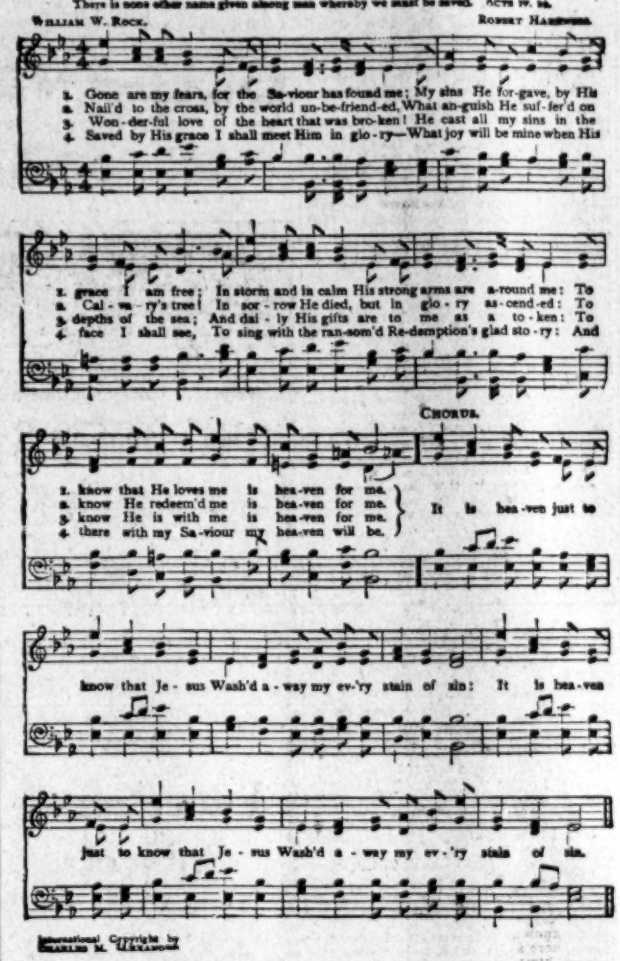
—From sermon by Dr. Chapman at the Tabernacle last night.

ALEXANDER'S Songs and Stories

No. 39. It is Heaven.

There is none other name given among men whereby we must be saved. ACTS IV. 12.

WILLIAM W. ROCK. ROBERT HARKNESS.



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A Hymn That Helps.

"It is Heaven" is distinctively an Australian hymn. Composed and written by two Australians, it was sung by an audience for the first time in Australia. It is a hymn that helps.

First, it helps people to find the Savior. During the Melbourne meetings a minister wrote to tell me that at a meeting held in his district three men were led to Jesus Christ through the singing of this hymn. At one of our meetings a girl rose and sang a verse of "It is Heaven." I asked her how long she had been a Christian, and she said it was since the previous evening when this hymn led her to Christ. Already several people have told me that this hymn has been the means of their conversion.

Second, it helps people in their work. A Melbourne employer allowed his employes an extra hour for lunch in order that they might attend the noon meeting. I afterwards received a letter from him in which he said: "Since the day that my employes attended the midday meeting, at which they and I got such an uplift, the workroom is a place of melody. They sing 'It is Heaven' and it is heaven to hear them sing. They get through more work too."

Third, it helps people to live right. In one of the Melbourne suburbs a woman came into a butcher's shop one morning with a very happy expression on her face. A gentleman who had been a prominent worker in our mission was surprised to see her smiling, because she had alwaya been very sad and melancholy. He asked her what was the reason for the change. "My husband was converted the other night," she said. "He used to ill-treat me before, and our home was miserable. But now it is quite different. We both go about the house singing 'It is Heaven,' and the whole place seems brighter."

This hymn has helped others. It can help you. Sing it!

Charles M. Alexander
II Timothy 2:15

TABERNACLE NOTES

(Contributed.)

"This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptation, that Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners."

There will be no services at the Tabernacle today, Saturday being observed as a rest day.

"The other day a gentleman asked me if I believed in hell," said Dr. Chapman at last night's meeting. "I told him I believed in the New Testament. He was not satisfied, and asked me again if I believed in hell. In my sermon on Monday evening I will tell just what my final answer was."

Hymns appropriate to the day were selected by Mr. Alexander for his song service of last night. "There is a Fountain Filled With Blood" was well rendered by the audience, and Mr. Brown's solo, "The Broken Heart," was a feature of the meeting. Just before beginning his sermon Dr. Chapman called for "Alas, and Did My Saviour Bleed," that wonderful application of the lesson of Calvary, by Isaac Watts.

At last night's service Dr. Chapman welcomed one of the best-looking and brightest delegations that has yet attended the Tabernacle. This was the delegation from the high school, and from the eighth grade of the grammar school. The preacher urged upon the members of this delegation, to seize the opportunity to make an ackledgment of Jesus Christ. "If you miss Christ," he said, "You miss the best of life. I plead with you to be ready to make your decision tonight."

There will be two great meetings at the Tabernacle tomorrow, Sunday, one at 3:30 p. m., and one at 7:30 p. m. Both meetings are for all classes of people. Dr. Chapman last night emphasized the importance of the afternoon meeting which will be of a special character, and he urged all who possibly could, to be present. At this service there will be special songs by the choir, under Mr. Alexander's leadership, solos by Mr. Brown, and a sermon by Dr. Chapman entitled "The Golden Bells."

Prior to announcing his text last night, Dr. Chapman stated that he had been hoping that the very solemnity of the day would touch many people, that their hearts would be made tender and ready to accept God's offer of mercy. His sermon on the story of Judas Iscariot, preached with manifest power, brought home to the great audience that filled the Tabernacle, the question of individual responsibility. "For you to turn away from Jesus Christ," said the preacher, "would be quite as heartless as for Judas Iscariot to sell Him for 30 pieces of silver."

Watch those compelling hands of Mr. Alexander. With them he turns choir and audience into a vast singing class, obedient to his every request. When Mr. Alexander is conducting he draws every eye to him. Years ago when other men still continued to use batons, he discovered that the human hand has far more compelling force than a piece of wood. Every gesture of his hand sends a wave of music, first through the brains, and then through the throats of those who sit under him. And the results of his work grow, as the days go by.

That many people in Wilmington are concerned for the spiritual welfare of their friends is evidenced by the large numbers of requests for prayer that are handed in night after night. It took Dr. Chapman almost ten minutes last night to read the requests. He then called for a period of silent prayer, and afterwards offered prayer himself not only for those mentioned in the requests, but also for each member of the evangelistic party, the ushers, personal workers, everybody connected in an official way with the Tabernacle, and finally for every boy and girl, every man and woman in the building.

The first of the meetings for business women and girls conducted by Mrs. Charles M. Alexander on Thursday evening was an unqualified success, both in point of attendance and spirit of interest. Over 350 women and girls gathered at the First Presbyterian church, where an excellent supper had been provided by the courtesy of the ladies of the Presbyterian churches of th city, and were briefly addressed by Mrs. Alexander who outlined the subject of this series of meetings. The purpose of this work is to gather the business women of the city into a company, who will meet regularly for fellowship with each other around the Lord Jesus Christ. Each store and house of business has a keywoman, whose duty it is to invite the women of her establishment to these meetings. Mrs. Alexander's desire is to reach every business woman of the city for Christ, and other meetings of this series will follow.

Washington, April 21.—T. Coleman Du Pont, candidate for the Republican nomination for President, announced here tonight that on May 3 he would leave his campaign headquarters at New York on a speech-making trip across the continent to Seattle and San Francisco, stopping at all the principal cities en route and reaching Chicago on his return a few days before the Republican convention. Mr. Du Pont is runnting on a "business methods ticket."

Beautiful shades of crepe de chine ties at C. H. Fore & Co's.
(Advertisement).

A COSMOPOLITAN COMPANY

Where Chapman-Alexander Members Hail From — Five Americans, Three From England—One Australian.

Speaking of things cosmopolitan, Wilmington has something to offer in this line just at present. It is the Chapman-Alexander party, the members of which are drawn from countries separated by many leagues of sea. In this band of workers in the vineyard are five Americans, three others from England, and one Australian, who may be said to be a kind of distant relation to an Englishman.

Dr. Chapman, Mrs. Chapman, Mr. Alexander, Mr. Potts and Mr. Mills are the American representatives on this "Peace Commission." Mrs. Alexander, Mr. Albert Brown, and Mr. Barraclough hail from the land of the Union Jack, while Mr. William Rock is the lone member from Australia.

Starting with Dr. Chapman, we find that he was born a Hoosier, although he may now be termed a citizen of the at large, for he has preached the Gospel in almost every English speaking country. Mrs. Chapman comes from an old and honored New England family, and her home town is Providence, Rhode Island. Mr. Alexander should feel at home in Wilmington for he is native of the soil, a Southerner, born near Knoxville, Tenn. He is half English, for the "better half" of the Alexander family, Mrs. Alexander, was born and reared in England, a daughter of the late Richard Cadbury, the famous British philanthropist.

Mr. L. M. Potts, secretary to Dr. Chapman, is the only New Yorker in the party; while Mr. B. A. Mills of the book department hails from Georgia. Mr. Albert Brown, who in addition to being a wonderful singer, is the tallest member of the party, standing six-three in his shoes, is a native of Nottingham, England. The gifted pianist, and the "short" of the party, Mr. Henry Barraclough, comes from Bradford, England, and still has the Yorkshire accent thick on his tongue.

Mr. William W. Rock, Mr. Alexander's secretary, is the farthest from home. He hails from Melbourne, Australia, where he was on the staff of the Hansard, the official publication of the federal parliament, before he joined Dr. Chapman and Mr. Alexander during one of their meetings in the Antipodes seven years ago.

NOTE TO GERMANY WAS DELIVERED BY GERARD THURSDAY

tremely grave. The note probably will be answered some time next week after serious consideration has been given the American contention. There is little hope that any answer can go to the length demanded by the Washington government, despite the fact that the government desires to maintain good relations with the United States.

The sentiment is against any further weakening of Germany's submarine campaign, to say nothing of an abandonment of it.

JAPAN WELCOMES WILSON'S NOTE SENT TO GERMANY

Tokio, April 12—Japanese opinion, as expressed by the newspapers, is sympathetic and welcomes the American note to Germany demanding a discontinuance of submarine warfare. The belief is generally expressed that America has shown the world she desires peace, but her patience finally became exhausted.

CABINET DISCUSSES MEXICAN SITUATION

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suing Villa, may be attributed to this movement.

The Diaz movement, it is said, has the backing of various elements of Mexicans, both in Mexico and this country. As viewed by the State Department, it is understood the activities of these persons are the more dangerous because they are wealthy, while the de facto government is involved in a snarl of financial complications which would be hard to overcome even in times of complete peace.

While no definite information was obtainable tonight, there were indications that some Washington officials at least thought it possible that the Diaz interests were seeking to undermine General Carranza among his various commanders. Should clear indications of this become apparent the attention of General Carranza probably would be called to the situation.

Carranza Garrisons Wavering

It was pointed out at the War Department today that the portion of Chihuahua where the pursuit of Villa has been in progress has been doubtful territory at best. Many of the so-called Carranza garrisons are known to be wavering in their allegiance.

Since no new revolution could be started in territory where American troops were operating, it is regarded as possible that recent events were the the result in part at least of a deliberate effort to create conditions that would compel their withdrawal without irritating the United States to a point where intervention and military occupation of northern Mexico might result.

General Funston reported the death of Private Albert Hartmen, troop K., Thirteenth cavalry, while en route from Colona Dublan to Columbus. The cause of death was not given.

FRENCH POSITIONS UNDERHEAVY FIRE

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officer, "is to demonstrate the profound sentiment of admiration and respect Russia has had for her ally. Our soldiers who have just disembarked will doubtless fight side by side with the French soldiers on French soil and I will be proud to see the soldiers of both nations thus marching together."

GREAT FINANCIAL TROUBLES IN ALL GERMANY FORECASTED

Amsterdam, Holland, via London, April 21.—The Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin publishes an interview with Dr. Von Lentze, Prussian finanga minister, in which he forecasts great financial difficulties not only for the German empire, but for the individual states of the empire. He expresses the belief that it may be necessary for the empire to levy direct taxes upon the states, notwithstanding the fact that the German constitution does not provide for such measures.

The prolongation of the war, Dr. Von Lentze contends, compels recognition of hard facts.

Get your Easter Shoes and Slippers at Peterson & Ruifs'. Newest. Best.—(advertisement.)

Official War Statements

FRANCE.

Paris, April 21.—The official statement issued tonight says:

"In the Argonne at Hill 285 (Haute Chevauchee) we have occupied the northern brim of a crater made by the explosion of a German mine.

"On the left bank of the Meuse the enemy has bombarded heavily our new positions at Le Mort Homme.

"On the right bank of the Meuse the German artillery has shown intense activity from the Meuse to Fort Vaux.

"In the Woevre a violent cannonade has taken place in the sector between Chatillon and Ronvaux. There was no infantry action.

"One of our long range guns has shelled the station of Vigneulles, Les Hattonchatei, to the northeast of St. Mihiel.

"To the north of Regnieville our batteries scattered convoys on the road from LaMarche to Nonsard.

"On the remainder of the front nothing of importance has occurred."

RUSSIA

Petrograd, via London, April 21.—The war office statement today says:

"The German light and heavy artillery has bombarded our trenches at the Ikskull bridgehead, but our batteries have silenced part of the guns and rapid firers.

"In the region of Jacobstadt there has been an artillery duel west of Olyka and north of Mourivatza, on the Ikva the enemy attempted to approach our trenches, but was repulsed.

"In Galicia the enemy attacked strenuously in the region of Popovagora; but without result.

"In the Caucasus our offensive in the coast district continues."

GREAT BRITAIN

London, April 21.—The British official communication tonight says:

"There has been mining activity near Fricourt, Souchez, Hulluch, and Givenchy. During last night we dispersed a party of Germans who left the trenches near St. Eloi.

"There has been trench and mortar fighting south of Arras and artillery duels between Souchez and LaBassee canal and in the neighborhood of Ypres."

JAPAN RENEWS OBJECTION TO THE IMMIGRATION BILL

President to Confer With Leaders to Modify Proposed Measure.

Washington, April 21.—Japan has renewed her objection to provisions in the pending bill which are construed as virtually enacting into law the celebrated Root-Takahira agreement for the restriction of immigration to the United States and as including Japanese with Hindus in an excluded class.

The administration, it was said today, fears no difficulty in arranging the terms of the bill so as avoid wounding Japanese feelings and to that end President Wilson soon will confer with House and Senate leaders.

THOMAS HARRIS IS SHOT TO DEATH BY SON-IN-LAW

Reunion Davis, of Near Asheville, Being Hunted by Sheriff's Posse.

Asheville, N. C., April 21.—Thomas Harris, 67 years old, a farmer living near Barnardsville, 25 miles from this city, was shot and instantly killed this afternoon by his son-in-law, Bunion Davis, 35, following a dispute over a fence which the deceased was erecting between the Harris and Davis properties.

According to testimony before the coroner's jury tonight Davis accused the old man of trying to steal the former's land and in the heated altercation tion that followed, Davis drew a revolver and fired twice at Harris, both bullets taking effect in the deceased's heart. Following the shooting Davis disappeared in the woods and up to midnight tonight had not been captured. He is being followed by a sheriff's posse.

The jury returned a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to his death from bulletin wounds inflicted by Davis.

TO DISCUSS CONSOLIDATING METHODISTS, NORTH AND SOUTH

Conference of Board of Bishops of Northern Church in Session.

Dawson, Pa., April 21.—The conference of the board of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church, went into executive session at Lindenhall, near here, today with 22 bishops present. Although the chief subject to be discussed at the meeting will be the proposed consolidation of the Northern and Southern branches of the Methodist Episcopal church, the rule in the church discipline forbidding card playing, dancing and theatre-going also will come up for consideration.

DR. M'CLURE AMONG SPEAKERS.

To Deliver Address at Commencement at Davidson College.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Davidson, N. C., April 21.—The latest name added to the list of commencement speakers is that of Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, D. D., of Wilmington. When Dr. McClure's plan to preach the baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class at Barium Springs Orphanage became known, efforts were made to secure him to speak at Davidson commencement, with the result that he has agreed to do so. He will preach the sermon for the Y. M. C. A. on the night of May 28, following his address at Barium Springs that morning.

Birmingham ,Ala., April 21.—Frederick Orgill, of Memphis, was reelected president of the Southern Hardware Jobbers' Association, at the closing session today, Houston, Texas, was named as the next meeting place. Other officers elected were:

MAJOR M'KINNON HAS DEFINITELY DECIDED

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lister the committee was carrying out the wishes of Tom Pence.

James R. Collie, chief clerk to the House claims committee, left here tonight for Raleigh to begin work on arrangements for the State convention. As secretary to the committee, Mr. Collie will have a great deal to do with making the final arrangements and he wants to be on hand early in order that everything may be handled without delay.

Several hundred North Carolinians came here today on a sight-seeing trip. Among those seen around the hotels and the Capitol were: Mason Gant, J. B. Webster, J. H. Price and wife, and Dr. Walters, of Greensboro; Dr. Hunter, of Huntersville; Kemp Nixon and sister, of Lincolnton, and Miss Long, of Newton. Representative E. Y. Webb had a number of those from his district out sight-seeing early in the day and this afternoon took them to the baseball game.

Representative Webb last night was elected vice chairman of the Democratic National Congressional committee. P. R. A.

FILES REGISTRATION AND MAKES HIS ANNOUNCEMENT

(Special Star Telegram).

Maxton, N. C., April 21.—Today Maj. A. J. McKinnon made definite decision to cast his hat in the ring for commissioner of agriculture, filing his formal notice in Raleigh. Major McKinnon is eminently fitted for this position, being a successful business man, a man of affairs and one of the most successful and progressive farmers of the State of Robeson, where he has extensive holdings that he is developing and where none but the most modern and improved methods are in use.

He is a believer in diversification and besides his cotton grows large acreages of grain and legumes and has introduced improved live stock.

In an interview he stated that, while having the highest respect for the present incumbent, he believes that it is for the best interest of the party to have a younger and more active man, that he believes the position to which he aspires offers greater opportunities for service to the people as a whole than any position within their gift, and that if nominated and elected he will make it the most effective branch of the State government. He will hold service to the agricultural interests of the State as his watchword.

Major McKinnon has never held any elective office but was a prominent candidate for Congress from this district a few years ago. He has been frequently mentioned for the governship and also for treasurer for the coming election. R. L. T.

BANDIT ROBS EXPRESS SAFE AND MAIL POUCHES ON TRAIN

Secures About $350 and Makes His Escape—Messenger is Hurt.

Alexandria, La., April 21.—The express safe and mail pouches on the Louisiana Railway and Navigation Company's passenger train which arrived here early today, were robbed at Mansura, La., about 30 miles south. C. L. Phillips, express messenger, said a lone bandit, who was not masked, committed the robbery and escaped with about $350. He leaped from the train near here.

Philips was taken to a hospital suffering from wounds about head inflicted by the robber.

NOTICE

To the Merchants, Manufacturers and Professional Men of Wilmington:

For the protection of our friends who are kindly disposed to our cause and to enlighten them, we beg to advise that our body has endorsed the Get Together Edition of the Saturday Record and solicitors representing this edition carry credentials under seal of this organization over the name of our president, secretary and treasurer.

WILMINGTON TRADES COUNCIL.
(Advertisement.)

R. C. Fergus for Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of New Hanover County. Subject to the will of the voters to be expressed in the primary to be held Saturday, June 3rd, 1916, if elected will endeavor to serve all the people to the best of my ability without control of any person or persons. Your support and influence will be appreciated.
ap 22-t-je-3. R. C. FERGUS.

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150,000 Four-Inch Cypress Shingles, culls. These are 4x20, at $1.25 per M. Also a few four-inch A-1, at $3.25.

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EVERYBODY INVITED

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Solos by Mr. Albert Brown.

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SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 22, 1916

TOP O' THE MORNING.

A song for our banner! The watchword recall,
Which gave the Republic her station:
"United we stand, divided we fall!"
It made and preserves us a nation!
—GEORGE P. MORRIS.

Sent word first and then mentioned it to Congress.

Lots of us would like to get an insight to the outlook.

May is next on the calendar and then comes the June bride.

What's the use to send a man down town for a sample of "tone brown"?

A young man says he doesn't want war but he is afraid that war will want him.

The committee on ingredients for a fishing frolic reported "nothing doing." Fishing frolic postponed.

The rural credit problem will be solved as soon as a farmer's land asset becomes convertible into collateral for a loan at the bank.

Speaker Champ Clark got into a Republican banquet, but he got more of it into him than he got into it. Of course, he made the most of it.

A contemporary inquires: "What can an editor do with his problems?" How about persuading her to spend a while at Wrightsville Beach this summer?

Take it easy till the enrolling officer comes around to call you to the colors. You might see him first, but he will see you last, sooner or later already.

When the Chicago convention meets, T. R. is going to recognize a lot of stand-patters as a gang of porch climbers who are indifferent about saving the Nation's soul.

"Greetings," said one citizen to another. "By granny, I feel bad," replied the other. "Well, why don't you quit being bad so you won't feel bad enough to tell it?" rejoined his old pal.

Probably the pacifists think the old rule will be worked off on them as innocent by-standers who have to do the fighting while the jingoes keep on doing the talking. Never saw it fail. Hot heads and cold feet too often go together.

Fashion notes for men mention that whiskers are going to be in style again. Maybe so, but men who have had their whiskers pulled in times gone by don't propose to wear any more whiskers so long as they can get a shave for 15 cents.

It is curious how any fellow wants to die for some girl who is dying for some other fellow. He ought to know that there are 'steen thousand other girls that are worth living for. A fellow that's game wants to live as long as he can so he can see as many North Carolina girls as possible.

A Republican State convention held in Macon, wrote into its platform a plank condemning lynching. Another Georgia Republican State convention was held the same day but as it assembled in another city, Atlanta, neither of the conventions was lynched.—Columbia State.

Mr. Gilliam Grissom, of Greensboro, secretary of the Republican State committee, has f[illegible] his name to the State Board of E[illegible] as a candidate for Congress [illegible] the fifth district. Grissom star[illegible] showing for the Republic[illegible]n. However it makes no d[illegible] who is nominated, the Fifth district will again return its distin[illegible]ocratic representative. [illegible] Hen[illegible]rles Manly Stedman, wh[illegible] in Washington challenge[illegible] honor for North Caroli[illegible] Republicans of the Fifth ou[illegible] to join the Democrats and make M[illegible] re-election unanimous.

NEW FIELDS OF INDUSTRY FOR THE SOUTH.

If the South knew itself as it should, others would not have to come into our midst and point our the opportunities in Southern resources. We could see them ourselves and be able to point them out to others. The South, of course, recognizes some of her great resources, but the trouble with us is we do not care to avail ourselves of them but invite others to come from abroad for the purpose of developing them. We invite Northern capital to come South for opportunities, whereas, if we will only get busy with some of our opportunities, we can go after Northern capital and get it. Of course, it requires capital to develop our resources, but, if there are opportunities in them, we can take the initiative and call for help.

In Savannah last Wednesday, Mr. E. A. Brand, assistant chief of the United States Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, delivered a speech before the National Basket and Fruit Manufacturers Association. In the course of his address he outlined a number of agricultural and industrial opportunities which the war in Europe has brought to the Southern States. The field for development in the South is really limitless, and, fortunately, where there are rich resources of one kind in one state there are equally as good ones in other states. Said the assistant chief of the bureau of commerce:

"One of the industries of great present interest, in which the South seems to have a sure future, is the production of chemicals of great value. In addition to its petroleum, which by the Rittman process can be made to give up benzol and toluol, the raw materials for dyestuffs and explosives now so high in price, the South has many other materials which are now shipped in the crude state, which, used as the base of a chemical industry, would increase many fold the returns which they bring to this section. In Louisiana we have the greatest sulphur mine in the world and immense deposits of almost chemically pure salt, which by relatively simple processes could be converted into sulphuric acid, hydrochloric acid, sodium hydroxide, sodium carbonate and other chemical products.

"A great many people think that cotton constitutes the bulk of agricultural products in the South, yet in the last year the total value of the cotton crop was only $750,000,000, while the total value of all agricultural products of the Southern states was $3,600,000,000. Of the total increase in agricultural production for the last year, 60 per cent is credited to the South. While the coton crop decreased 23 per cent, according to an estimate made last December, the corn crop increased in quantity 32 per cent, and the combined production of wheat, corn and oats in quantity showed an increase of over 29 per cent. Do not these figures show how rapidly the Southern farmers can readjust themselves to abnormal conditions? And in the end the European war may in this respect prove a boon to the South; it has convinced large sections of Southern people that they can not build their economic life on cotton alone."

Mr. Brand's address shows that he has noticed that we are taking advantage of some of our great agricultural resources and doubtless the achievements of Southern agriculture as mentioned by him have made an impression on many intelligent men at the North. The South is no longer a one-crop country and sooner or later the world will find it out. We have begun to know our opportunities in agriculture and our disposition to take advantage of them is giving practical publicity to the South in a way to beat all other kinds of publicity. When we do things the world finds it out through publications that always pounce upon the things that are notable. Even if the South has numerous untouched opportunities, Southern progress is so notable in many respects that it is getting noised abroad. Mr. Brand himself had to turn aside to make this remarkable statement concerning the growth of manufacturing in the South:

"It is surprising, but true, that manufactured products in the South greatly exceed in value the products of the farm. It now probably aggregates over four billion dollars, or about 18 per cent of the total for the country. According to Census figures for the entire country, of the 262 different lines of manufacture 236 are already carried on in the South. Taking a few of the lines which enter larger into our exports, we find that the South increased its production of agricultural implements from $2,611,000 in 1899 to $3,916,000 in 1909; its output of canned and preserved goods from $20,058,000 to $23,380,000; of carriages and wagons from $20,213,000 to $31,482,000; of men's clothing from $43,045,000 to $72,790,000; of flour and gristmill products from $108,699,000 to $200,989,000; of foundry and machine shop products from $64,579,000 to $95,978,000, and of leather goods from $14,018,000 to $25,002,000. These random items further illustrate the varied character and the rapid growth of the manufacturing industries of the South. In the cotton goods trade, the chief industry turning out goods ready for consumption, nine states in 1909 produced $232,989,000 worth of cotton goods, as compared with $97,454,000 worth in 1899. In 1914 the consumption of raw coton by Southern mills exceeded that of the New England mills by 772,374 bales, or about 375,000,000 pounds.

"With a number of large deep-water ports, well sheltered, and generally having river as well as rail connections with the interior, the South has ample opportunity to place its goods on shipboard at reasonable cost. Once on board, in normal times, the destination makes little difference in cost. Australia can be reached as cheaply by water from a Southern port as Minnesota can be reached by rail from Massachusetts. The number of steamship lines from Southern ports is growing steeadily, and as the European trade is well served, the new lines are opening new territories to Southern manufacturers.

"Although the figures show a wide range of products, the production of semi-manufactured products still far exceeds that of finished products. As recently stated by a student of the subject. 'A ton of iron ore shipped as iron ore returns only $2 and provides for less than one day's work for one man; if shipped as a stove it returns $40 and provides work for ten men.' Let me express the hope that the South will proceed regardless of outside capital to increase its production of finished manufactured products."

Indeed it is surprising that Southern manufacturing has out-stripped Southern agriculture, so we have doubled the wealth producing factors that agriculture alone gave us before the manufacturing era began in North Carolina, the leading one of the manufacturing group of Southern states, not to mention the several states which have turned their atention to manufacturing. Yet the immense opportunities in both the agricultural and industrial fields are practically untouched. The South is using an enormous amount of capital and producing wealth to an astonishing extent, but if we are working up to the limit of our capital, it is a good time to start something and make New York capital seek the South instead of Europe.

THE DYE INDUSTRY PROSPECTS

The Oil, Paint and Drug Reporter, one of the greatest chemical authorities in America, does not seem to think protection for the new American dye industry is so much a factor in establishing the industry as is the extensive resources in this country for carrying on a huge dye industry of its own. At present there is no competition at all with the German dye manufacturers, but the Reporter admits that there is a certain amount of plausibility in the arguments advanced in behalf of tariff protection for the industry at the start.

That publication asserts that "there seems to be no doubt that aniline dyes, which are derived from coal tar by-products, can eventually be produced as economically in this country as abroad, given the basic material, rich gas coal, plants of sufficient size and of adequate mechanical and chemical equipment, and laboratory skill so essential to successful economical production." We lack the laboratory-factory equipment that Germany already has, but the Reporter makes this interesting declaration:

"That such equipment may yet be vouchsafed us—either by national support of the dye industry, or by the participation of producers of the basic benzol, toluol and xylol in large [illegible]tities appears more probable particularly in view of the developments of the past week, and the announced participation, with unlimited capital, of the huge steel-producing corporations of the country through the by-product coke industry. Receiving its first genuine impetus soon after the outbreak of the war, with the consequent demand for the constituents for use in the manufacture of high explosives, the by-product coke industry has proved a profitable sideline since its inception, but to no one were its possibilities brought home so pertinently as during the week just closed.

"It is now announced from Pittsburg that the Carnegie Steel Company and other affiliated steel interests have acquired the control of the richest belt of gas coal in this country, and that two huge by-product coke plants are being erected near Clairton, Pa., and at Cleveland, Ohio, at a cost of approximately $20,000,000. Other plants are to follow. It is further stated, although this has not been confirmed from authoritative sources, that all of the plants of the Carnegie company, following the completion of the Clairton plant, are to be equipped with complete chemicalization plants for producing benzol, toluol, coal tar, dyestuffs and sulphate of ammonia, and that the steel interests in the future must be considered among the largest factors in the world's dyestuffs production.

"That these deductions are not overdrawn, insofar as the production of benzol and toluol are concerned, may be inferred from the reports of tests made of Pigeon Creek belt gas coal—now controlled by the steel companies—which give at the present prices paid for benzol and toluol, an approximate value of $10 per ton for coke and chemicals produced, which makes it a most attractive side issue for the steel companies even in normal times."

The steel people do not see mto be standing back on the matter of protection, but in all probability they will get a reasonable and adequate amount of it. It is easy to observe, however, who will control the dye industry, once it is established. The country doesn't care who owns it just so it does not become an oppressive monpooly and prove a hindrance instead of a help to American textile manufacturers.

THE ANTITHESIS CANDIDATE

The New York Tribune should observe that Colonel Roosevelt is no longer available for the presidential nomination "because he is the antithesis of Wilson." Antithesis nothing! The Colonel's "heroic mood" claim upon Americans voters has gone under a cloud. He declared that no Chicago convention need think of nominating him unless the country was in a heroic mood and ready with Teddy to do the doable or the undoable, whatever it is. The Colonel hasn't said what he would have done as to either Germany or Mexico, and he has stoutly refused to say what it is that he would do if he were president, yet he insists that heroism must be manifested by the American people if they expect him to stand for the presidency.

The Colonel is too late. While he was refraining from mentioning what he proposes to do along heroic lines, President Wilson got busy and did something that will appeal to all the heroic mood there is in this country. Republican Leader Mann says the President wants to bring on war with Germany, and, if there were any truth in that, the Colonel would have to be a pacifist in order to be put forward as "the antithesis of Wilson."

The truth is President Wilson has exhibited all the patience that could be expected of any man at the head of a great nation, but he has finally decided that temporizing has gone far enough. He has taken a position that will put America's heroic mood to the test, so the eligible man on the heroic line for president is the man who does things instead of one who says things.

So far as Republican Leader Mann is concerned, he does not seem to be in a heroic mood. We don't see much use of objecting to the attitude of Republicans, because we expect them to find fault with the opposition. However, if Mr. Mann is the Republican leader, he puts the Republican party in the attitude of being indifferent to the rights of this country on the high seas. His strictures on the President for protecting this country's international rights were untimely and ill-advised, but if the Republican party can stand it the Democracy surely can.

CURRENT COMMENT

But why should it cost so much more to hold a primary than it does to hold an election?—Durham Herald.

Contrary to an opinion expressed the fisheries commissioners who have been meeting in Wilmington are not necessarily expert fishermen.—Charlotte News.

The Wilmington (N. C.) Star enthusiastically endorses The Chronicle's recent editorials urging the people of Augusta to buy only from, or through, Augusta merchants in replacing the two million dollars or more of personal property lost by them in the recent great fire, and is kind enough to say that The Chronicle took a broad and patriotic view of the situation when it practically refused to accept advertisements from outside merchants who desired to invade the Augusta field, in competition with local merchants, just at that time.—Augusta Chronicle.

The New England cotton manufacturers are complaining that the South does not seem inclined to sell cotton. "The South," they say, "is holding very firm on all kinds of cotton, with a rising tendency on extra staples." Time was when the New England manufacturers and brokers only had to call on the South for cotton to get it, low market or high market, but that time is passed. The Southern farmer got into control of the situation some months ago, and it would appear that he is in control finally and for good. When the farmer once gets the upper hand of a thing he is hard to shake off. The time is coming when New England or any other section that wants his cotton will have to take it at what he is willing to let it go at.—Charlotte Observer.

Resident Farm Demonstrator O. F. McCrary is agitating corn and pig club work amongst Lenoir county's juvenile planters. The time for enrolling has been extended in North Carolina to May 15, in order that more boys may be enlisted and for other reasons. The State director hopes to have North Carolina lead the South in club work this year. Lenoir county now has 45 pig club and 22 corn club members. Fourteen boys have accepted loans from the Farmers and Merchants bank here, the bank asking no security, for the purchase of registered pigs. McCrary believes that between 25 and 50 registered hogs have been brought into the county since January 1. One man recently paid $110 for three. Nine pig club members will be presented with registered animals by their fathers.—Kinston Free Press.

"Proposing to create one of the largest stock farms in the South a party of Miami investors and visiting capitalists have just closed a deal whereby the company secures title to 920 acres of land near Moore Haven, the track having a frontage of one mile on Lake Okeechobee," says the Fort Myers Press. "The company is to be known as the Moore Haven stock farm, and within a few months it is expected that the land will be under cultivation and a model ho gfarm established." The Press adds that the farm to be started adjoins large stock farm of Judge Alton B. Parker and is quite near another large stock farm. Within the year several thousand acres of land have been purchased and the work of converting the several places into stock farms begun. That cattle and hogs can be profitably raised in the vicinity of Lake Okeechobee has been demonstrated and in future it is likely that the industry will thrive and expand in that section.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

"SINCERITY"

By Rev. J. Wilbur Chapman, D. D.

"That ye may be sincere". Phil. 1:10.

But you may be sincerely WRONG.

On the sea of life you may steer for what seems to be a harbor by a way which you honestly believe to be right, and unless you change your course you will be wrecked on the rocks.

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Sick in body, you may take to the drug you think would cure you, and because of it you may go speedily into eternity.

Troubled in mind, you may lay hold of what you think is truth, only to have it mock you when the day of testing comes.

Test the views you hold today. It is far better to condemn them now than to have them rise up against you in the future.

Have your views influenced nations and carried blessings to the unfortunate?

Have they borne fruit worth the gathering?

Have they made men brave and noble, and women true and good?

Have they made life easier to live?

Have they helped to comfort when nearing the end of life's journey?

Test them by day when the skies are clear or cloudy. Test them by night when no gleaming star of hope is seen. And if they fail, then better turn aside from the line you are pursuing and lay hold upon that which in all the ages of Time has worked for good. Better believe that which makes home like heaven, living a blessing, death a triumph, and time and eternity alike an experience of joy.

That you may have such an experience, I present you to Jesus.

NEW OIL COMPANY

Organized for the Purpose of Producing and Refining Crude Oil.

Tulsa, Okla., April 21.—Harry F. Sinclair, multi-millionaire, on his return from New York tonight announced that he practically has succeeded in organizing a company capitalized at $50,000,000 for the producing and refining of crude oil. The new concern will be known as the Sinclair Oil & Refining Company and headquarters will be established in this city.

Mr. Sinclair denied the report that the new company is being organized to compete with the Standard Oil Company. Mr. Sinclair said that the company has already taken over the Cudahy Refining Company and a number of other independent companies.

FUNERAL OF SILAS LUCAS

Well Known Citizen of Wilson Has Passed Away at Age of 64.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., April 21.—The funeral services of Silas Lucas, who died Thursday after a long illness, were conducted from the First Methodist church this morning, Rev. W. A. Stanbury, pastor of the church, officiating. Mr. Lucas was a consistent Methodist for over 40 years, coming to Wilson from the Barefoot Mill church years ago.

Born and reared in this county, Silas Lucas was one of the foremost citizens and energetic and useful in many activities of life. Until the beginning of the last illness he was always interested in religious and civic affairs. He was 64 years old, and his wife and four children survive him.

Vera Cruz, April 21.—The second anniversary of the landing of American troops in Vera Cruz was observed today as a day of mourning.

HEALTH TALKS

BY WILLIAM BRADY, M.D.

THE THIRTEENTH BACHELOR

Whose business is it whether a man marries? If anybody's, it is the doctor's.

Tabulation of the first random hundred bachelors over thirty shows fairly representative conditions, as follows:

Twenty-two of them are afflicted with a communicable disease, and it would be a calamity for such a man to marry—it would mean almost certain invalidism for his unfortunate bride, and probably in the end an un-sexing operation.

Thirty-five of them are given to alcoholic indulgence. While a drinking man may now and then remain virtuous in his living, the presumption is that he will not do so, because alcohol dissolves off the veneer of self-restraint and releases a man's primitive impulses, removes his ordinary cautious judgment and leads him to excesses he would never commit in a perfectly sober moment. Nor must a man become frankly intoxicated to lose his self-control; it only takes a social glass or two to cut through the veneer. So these thirty-five occasional drinkers are to be classed as undesirable husbands. We will leave them to their selfish lives.

The remaining forty-three bachelors size up like this: Eighteen of them are courting girls, have been courting the girls for from two to twenty years, and never making a very determined effort to have a wedding day fixed, on the ground that their salaries are not sufficient to support a wife in the style to which the girl has always been accustomed. Which is all rubbish, of course. The truth of the matter is that these eighteen weak-kneed ones never will marry voluntarily—they are too selfish. The remaining twenty-five bachelors are "men about town." They have no fixed associates other than the hangers-on at the club, pool-room, bowling alley or street corner. They are on extraordinarily familiar terms with the class of girls who seem to enjoy being insulted by familiarities of young men in public. They don't want to marry, because they don't meet girls who inspire respect. The girls they know so well are the kind who patronize public dances, theatres and such places without responsible escort. In short, these twenty-five bachelors have no incentive to marriage. So far, they find "variety the spice of life," and it will be quite a while yet before they discover that too much spice spoils the joy of living.

It was Bachelor Number Thirteen, in the above list, an eligible man, and a really desirable sort of man, who gave the only worthy excuse for his single cussedness. Here is what he said: "My girl is beyond my reach. She earns sixteen dollars a week, and dresses like sixty. Took her and her mother out the other night. The mater wanted to take in a plain two-bits show, but Inez was strong for a $2 show, and we blew six bones for the show Inez wanted. I tell you, with my little forty-dollar income I can't finance the proposition."

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

College Man Would Try Foety

Please tell me what dose of asafoetida one should take for nervousness. I am a student, aged twenty-one.

Answer—Fie, fie, young man. Take a five-mile walk. One pill (five grains) of asafoetida three or four times a day won't hurt you, at any rate.

Hair of the Dog

One of your articles alluded to the influence of certain animal emanations upon persons subject to spasmodic or bronchial asthma. I never have an attack unless I visit my husband's mother's home, where there are two dogs. Sometimes I am in the house only a few minutes when the attack comes on. The house is but a few miles from our home. Do you think it possible that the attack is in my case produced by inhaling dust or emanations from the bodies of these dogs?

Answer—Very likely. Some individuals suffer an attack if they ride after a horse, or enter a stable. Others suffer if a cat enters the room. Many victims have attacks if they eat certain proteins—certain shell-fish, eggs, cheese. In other cases the foreign protein is produced within the body, in some hidden or neglected septic focus, by bacteria. In any case, the problem is, find the protein to which the patient is sensitive, and immunize the patient against that protein by a prolonged series of minute injections—a hair of the dog that bites you. The principle works successfully in many cases of hay fever, when the particular pollen can be identified.

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Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it can not salivate or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

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WILL INSTITUTE SEPA GROTTO IN WILMINGTON

New Organization for Encouraging Social Side of Masonry.

Grand Standard Bearer of Mystic Order of the Enchanted Realm of The Veiled Prophets Will Arrive This Morning

For the development of the social side of Masonry in Wilmington and throughout this section of North Carolina, a large number of Master Masons have formed a class for Sepa Grotto of the Mystic Order of the Enchanted Realm of the Enchanted Prophets, which will be instituted tonight at 8 o'clock in the Masonic Temple by Grand Standard Bearer E. Craige Pelouze, of Richmond, Va., who will arrive in the city this morning with a dispensation and authority to start the new organization.

The M. O. V. P. E. R. has the same relations to the blue lodges of Masonry that the Shriners have to the higher orders of Freemasonry and there are many grottoes of the order throughout the country. However, Wilmington has the honor of organizing the first grotto for North Carolina.

The officers elected for Sepa Grotto, the official name of the Wilmington organization of the order, are as follows: Monarch, Mr. E. L. Davis; prophet, Mr. H. A. Huggins; master of ceremonies, Mr. C. F. Strunck.

The purposes of the Veiled Prophets as expressed in their creed is to draw Master Masons of different blue lodges into closer and more friendly relationship, to create and maintain a spirit of fraternity among Masons, to discountenance jealousy, enmity and ill-feeling, to teach that a Mason is not merely a member of one blue lodge but belongs to the fraternity at large, to build up and strengthen the character and individuality of the Mason, to teach that a Mason must not be judged by the social qualities and wealth that he possesses, to teach that Masonry must not be used to advance the material welfare of any man, and to teach that Masons are brothers on the street as well as in the lodge room.

Occupying a field not heretofore held by any regularly organized body, the M. O. V. P. E. R. has found at once a legitimate and an almost unlimited sphere of action. Its ceremonies are weird and spectacular, its ritual unique, and its mysteries startling. These, with gorgeous costumes and magnificent stage settings, combine to supply all the sport of the most mischievous Master Mason could ask for and fill him with a wholesome desire to confer the same delight upon his brothers. The Grotto provides a place and opportunity for ingenuity and levity, where one may leave dull care and earth behind and revel in clean, bright fun and manly good-fellowship, free from all that debases or leans to excesses. Very large and successful Grottoes are now working in the states of New York, New Jersey, Massachusetts, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota, Maryland, Connecticut, Rhode Island and the District of Columbia.

During the early part of the year 1889, a group of Master Masons, good and true, of Hamilton Lodge, No. 130, F. & A. M., averse to trespassing upon the dignified earnestness of the Masonic work, and unanimous in the belief that candidates should be impressed by its beauty and solemnity, and not distracted by frivolous disgression; yet, feeling the need of warmer, closer communion, were wont to tarry after lodge closed for social intercourse and the promotion of good-fellowship.

After diligently prospecting for fun and mischief a rich vein was discovered which led to the mother lodge of pure good-fellowship, and opened before them the Enchanted Realm, with its inexhaustible treasures to gladden the heart and bind men in warmer friendships.

None of the founders at first thought of their litle clan as likely ever to have other than local significance, but within eight months, 113 Master Masons had been initiated into the new order, and it was evident that the organization was destined to spread abroad—it was too good to be confined to only a few—men were hungry for just the sort of cheerfulness and companionship that flourished within the Enchanted Realm, and many members of the Masonic Fraternity journeyed from afar to gain admission to the charmed circle. Then came demands for the extension of the order. In response to these demands and for the purpose of perpetuating and allowing other Master Masons to partake of what had given the founders pleasure, the Supreme Council of the Mystic Order of Veiled Prophets of the Enchanted Realm was legally organized on June 13th, 1880, with power to issue charters to subordinate Grottoes at its discretion.

JOY-RIDERS SMASHED CAR

While Owner, Mr. J. R. Moore, Was Attending Services at Tabernacle Last Night—Hit Big Tree.

While the owner, Mr. J. R. Moore, of Oak Plantation, Brunswick county, was attending services last night at the Tabernacle, two white boys, whose names are not known, attempted to steal or take a joy ride in his car, but had driven the machine less than a block when it smashed into a tree on Third, between Castle and Queen streets.

No one saw the boys when they started off with the car, but when the car hit the big sycamore, after running a short distance on the sidewalk, it made considerable noise, and the occupants of the house nearby ran to the door in time to see the boys jump out and run away. The incident occurred about 9 o'clock, just before the evening services were concluded.

The front end of the car, including the tank and the engine, were so badly damaged that it had to be towed to a garage, where it was left for the night. Sergeant Lane of the police department made an investigation, but up to a late hour last night the identity of the boys had not been discovered. The car was a five-passenger Ford.

COUNTY CONVENTION TODAY

Delegates to Democratic State Convention to Be Chosen at Meeting in the Court House.

For the purpose of selecting delegates to the Democratic State convention which meets in Raleigh on Thursday of next week, the New Hanover Democrats will hold a county convention today at noon in the Court House. All Democrats in good and regular standing are authorized to attend as delegateds and to take part in the proceedings.

Mr. J. Herbert Johnston, chairman of the New Hanover Democratic Executive committee, will call the convention to order. It will then be formally organized by the election of a permanent chairman and secretary. The only business to come before the convention will be the selection of delegates to the State convention although it is probable that resolutions endorsing President Wilson's policies will be passed. Whether or not the delegates will be instructed to vote for any particular delegates from this Congressional district to the National convention was not known yesterday but it was not thought likely that they will be.

New Hanover is authorized to send 12 delegates to the State convention or has this number of votes. Following is the number of votes that each precinct has in the county convention today:

First ward, 10, Second ward 11, Third 17, Fourth 13, Fifth, 21, Sixth 4, Seagate 2, Cape Fear 2, Seven Mile 1, Winter Park 1, Federal Point 1, Masonboro 1.

This is the last day in which candidates can file notice of their intention of running in the primaries in June. Interest yesterday in political circles centered chiefly in the county commissioners, the terms of three members of the present board expiring in December. In addition to those whose names have already been mentioned, friends of Mr. W. E. Worth are urging him to enter the race and he is giving the matter serious consideration. He had not, however, reached a decision last night as to what he will do. It was also understood yesterday that Mr. J. H. Rehder was seriously considering becoming a candidate for commissioner.

MR. CANNON MOVES HERE

Burgaw Loses Good Citizen to Wilmington—Motor Car Business.

This week's issue of the Pender Chronicle says:

"Friends of Mr. W. A. Cannon, who since 1906 has been a resident here, will learn with a great deal of regret of his decision to move from here to Wilmington, which he does this week. Mr. Cannon has been general manager of the Garysburg Manufacturing Company, a large lumber concern here, for the past ten years; has operated a farm just outside of the limits of the town; and has always taken a live interest in public affairs. Recently he has gone into the automobile business in Wilmington, and has the agency for the Reo, Chevrolet, Cole and other well known and popular cars. He moves to Wilmington because it is more centrally located for his business.

"Mrs. Cannon and the children have made hosts of friends here, who will regret exceedingly to see them leave us."

MR. D. H. KING DEAD

Father of Mr. V. R. C. King, Passes Away in New York.

News of the death of Mr. David Hazlitt King, father of Mr. V. R. C. King, superintendent of the Wilmington district of the Atlantic Coast Line, which occurred at the former's home in New York City Thursday night at 8 o'clock was received here yesterday.

Mr. King was 67 years old. He was ill a very short time; and his son was at his bedside when the end came, having left here Saturday evening last.

NEGRO DROWNED IN RIVER

Jake Loftin, Freight Handler of Clyde Line, Fell From Gang Plank Into Water and Went Down.

The victim of a peculiar accident, Jake Loftin, 30 years old, colored, an experienced freight handler, who has been in the service of the local offices of the Clyde Steamship Company for a number of years, was drowned yesterday afternoon at 5:25 o'clock when he fell off the gang plank between the steamer Cherokee and the pier at the foot of Castle street.

At the time of the accident, the négro, who was coming off the vessel pushing a truck with two sacks of coffee in front of him, suddenly toppled over and fell into the 12-foot stretch of water which separated the ship from the pier.

Although a number of bystanders saw him fall into the water, he never came to the surface at all, or at least if he did he was not seen by those who were watching for his reappearance. It is thought that possibly the heavy sea and tide which was running at the time might have carried him under the vessel.

Efforts to recover his body met with no success, although considerable time was spent in fishing for him with poles and hooks. Mr. C. J. Becker, agent of the Clyde Line, stated that the negro had been in the employ of the company here for the past eight years or more. Mr. Becker notified the police of the drowning, and further efforts to recover the body will be made to day.

MR. J. V. VANN DEAD.

Passed Away Yesterday Afternoon at the Hospital from Pneumonia.

Mr. J. V. Vann, who has been in the employ of the Atlantic Coast Line as a member of a force of workmen employed in repairing trestles between this city and Boardman, passed away yesterday afternoon at the James Walker Memorial Hospital at about 3:30 o'clock, following an attack of pneumonia.

He is survived by four sisters, Mrs. E. E. Russ and Miss Lottie Vann, of No. 314 Queen street, and Mrs. E. E. Southerland and Mrs. E. E. Carter, of Myrtle Grove Sound. One small brother, Coley Vann, who makes his home with one of his sisters, also survives him. The funeral services will be held this afternoon at his late residence, No. 314 Queen street.

Get your Easter Shoes and Slippers at Peterson & Rulfs'. Newest. Best.—(advertisement.)

MEMORIAL DAY ORATOR NAMED BY DAUGHTERS

Rev. B. F. Huske, of Newbern, Will be Speaker Here.

Cape Fear Chapter Arranging For Annual Exercises in Memory of Confederate Dead—Committees to be Appointed.

Rev. B. F. Huske, rector of Christ Episcopal church in Newbern, one of the ablest young ministers of the Protestant Episcopal denomination in North Carolina, will be the speaker at the annual Memorial day exercises in Wilmington on May 10th. These exercises are held under the auspices of the Cape Fear Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, which has charge of the arrangements for the occasion.

The members of the chapter were gratified to learn that Rev. Mr. Huske had accepted the invitation to make the oration. He is a son of Mr. A. S. Huske, of Fayetteville, and is well known in Wilmington, having visited here frequently. He is an eloquent and forceful speaker. As rector of Christ's church in Newbern he has done splendid work and has greatly endeared himself to the people of that progressive city.

Following the oration which will be delivered at Oakdale cemetery, wreaths, prepared by the Daughters, will be placed upon the graves of the Confederate soldiers buried there. A special musical programme will be rendered. The hour for the exercises has not been announced but will probably be late in the afternoon.

CLINIC FOR PELLAGRA.

Dr. E. J. Wood Meeting With Splendid Success in Undertaking.

Dr. E. J. Wood conducted his second clinic for pellagra patients yesterday afternoon in the office of the Associated Charities in the basement of the Court House. There were a half dozen or more patients present at the clinic. Dr. Wood had the assistance of Miss Pinner and Mrs. Hannah.

Dr. Wood and these public health nurses have very kindly offered their services free of charge for this work and they have been much gratified at the response made by those suffering with the disease. Dr. Wood has devoted years of study to the treatment of the malady and sufferers from it in any form are fortunate in being able to have him treat them. The next clinic will be held next Friday afternoon.

To Take Observations.

Weather observations will be taken at the Frying Pan lightship and at other lightships along the South Atlantic coast, according to an announcement made yesterday at Washington. Observer G. W. Felger, of the local Weather Bureau office, states that the taking of these observations off the coast will enable the Bureau to make its predictions earlier.

Moves Here.

Mr. W. A. Cannon, head of the Cannon Auto Company, of this city, who has for a number of years been manager of the Garysburg Manufacturing Company, of Burgaw; has moved to this city and will make his home at Sunset Park.

Expected to Return Today.

The coast guard cuter Seminole which left Wednesday to go to the aid of the water-logged schooner Carolina Grey, off Frying Pan Shoals, is expected to return today. Nothing has been heard of either vessel, since the Seminole's hasty departure.

GOOD FRIDAY IS OBSERVED

Day Was Observed Yesterday With Special Services in the Local Churches—Public Offices Closed.

Good Friday was quietly observed in Wilmington yesterday, with services at all the Episcopal, Lutheran and Catholic churches; and the day was further marked by the closing of the offices of the Chamber of Commerce, the postoffice, the banks and other public establishments. No session of the Recorder's court was held and all the public schools of the city were closed, as were also many stores.

The Passion service, one of the most solemn and impressive of the Lenten season, was conducted in a number of the churches. In the course of these services the ministers in charge gave a brief talk on the seven last utterances of the Son of God before, according to the Christian belief, he was borne away to the tomb of Joseph.

The day was observed at St. James' Episcopal church with morning prayer at 7:30 o'clock, morning prayer and address at 11 o'clock, while in the evening Dr. W. H. Milton, the rector, preached on the subject of "The Glory of the Cross."

An extended Passion service beginning at noon, and including meditations on the seven utterances from the Cross, was held at St. Paul's Episcopal church.

A Passion service was also conducted at St. John's Episcopal church by the rector, Rev. W. E. Cox, beginning at noon. While early morning prayer was held at 7:30 o'clock and evening prayer at 5:30.

At the Church of the Good Shepherd, Rev. W. R. Noe, the rector, at 7:30 A. M. conducted communion services, led the morning prayer service at 10:30 o'clock; and beginning at 12 o'clock, noon, conducted a three-hour service, in the course of which he delivered a sermon on "The Seven Words from the Cross."

At St. Paul's Lutheran church two services were conducted during the day by the pastor, Rev. F. B. Clausen, the first being held at 11 A. M. and the second in the evening at 8 o'clock. Holy communion was celebrated at both services. Only one service was conducted at St. Matthew's Lutheran church, this being held in the evening at 8 o'clock, when the pastor, Rev. G. W. McClanahan, delivered a sermon on "The Crucifixion."

At St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral at 9 A. M. the services of unveiling the crucifix were held; while in the evening the devotions of the Way of the Cross were held. The evening sermon was delivered by Rev. Father Bour.

COURT WILL ADJOURN TODAY

Trial of All Jury Cases Completed Yesterday—Recess Taken for Good Friday Services.

Superior Court will adjourn today after having been in session for three weeks continuously. All cases for jury trial at this term were completed yesterday and the motion docket will be taken up by Judge Peebles this morning.

Although yesterday was Good Friday and the banks and many of the business houses were closed up for the day, Judge Peebles kept the court in session but took a recess at 11 o'clock until 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon in order that those desiring to do so might attend divine services.

In the case of Mrs. Annie Smith against J. T. West and the Wilmington Door & Lumber Company, the jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $556 with interest from September 26, 1916. According to the evidence Mr. West had given a mortgage on some property which he later sold to the Wilmington Door & Lumber Company. The latter contended that in buying the property they did not assume the obligation to pay off the indebtedness. However, the jury decided against the company and through its attorney, J. A. McNorton, Esq., the concern took an appeal to the Supreme Court. Graham Kenan, Esq., represented the plaintiff and Robert Ruark, Esq., appeared for Mr. West.

Mrs. Annie L. Smith was given a divorce from her husband, Mr. Percy L. Smith. Mr. Paul Pate, a young man, who did not appear to be more than 20 years old, was given a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Mary W. Pate.

The jury gave judgment for $518.69 in favor of the plaintiff in the case of Charles Schaefer & Son against the Wilmington Grain & Provision Company. This was a suit on an open account, the defendant having made an assignment some months ago.

In a suit instituted by S. R. Adams against M. H. Hady for $200, amount of commission alleged to be due on a real estate deal, the jury decided in favor of the plaintiff.

Before adjourning court for the afternoon, Judge Peebles took occasion to remind the members of the bar that the court highly disapproved of putting court officers on the stand as character witnesses.

OUTDOOR SERVICE TONIGHT.

Adjutant Yates Will Conduct Meeting at Front and Princess Streets.

Adjutant Yates, officer in charge of the local corps of the Salvation Army, announces that, owing to there being no meeting in the Tabernacle tonight, he will conduct two services, one at Front and Princess streets at 7:30 o'clock, followed by a meeting in the hall at the corner of Front and Dock streets. The latter service will begin at 8:15 o'clock. At each of these services there will be a number of short soul-stirring songs and solos, together with some helpful gospel address. The public is most cordially invited to attend each of these meetings.

Owing to the Tabernacle meetings, the only service that will be held by the Army on Sunday will be the Sunday school at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning to which all, especially those not attending other Sunday schools, are invited.

Captain Clark Confident.

Yesterday's Cahrlotte Observer says: "Capt. Haywood Clark, of Wilmington, returned to his home yesterday afternoon after breaking his journey in Charlotte en route to the east from from a campaigning trip through the western section of the State. Captain Clark visited Lincolnton and then went on up as far as Burnsville. He expressed himself as delighted with the reception and treatment that he had received all along the line and evinced much confidence that he would be elected in the primaries early in June. Captain Clark is one of the most popular citizens and Democrats in Eastren Carolina and has a host of friends in Charlotte and throughout this section."

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SIDEWALKS

Sealed proposals sidewalk paving will be received by the Mayor at the City Hall, Wilmington, N. C., up to Noon, April 26th. They shall be addressed to F. Q. Moore, Mayor of City of Wilmington, and endorsed "Proposals to Pave Sidewalks."

The sidewalks to be paved are on Market street, east of 10th street, and will amount to approximately 500 square yards, but the right is reserved to increase or diminish this amount. Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of $50.00, made payable to the Mayor. Specifications may be obtained at the office of the City Engineer. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

W. J. BRADSHAW,
D. L. STRUTHERS, Councilman.
City Engineer.

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TO ORGANIZE CHESS CLUB AT MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

Many Players Have Indicated Their Intention of Joining Club.

A meeting will be held on next Monday evening at 8:30 in the Mafflitt building for the purpose of organizing a chess club in this city.

Local chess players will be pleased to know that definite steps have been taken to start a Chess club in the city. Enthusiasm has been revived in the game of late and many new players have joined the ranks of the devotees of the royal game.

The number of players who have already indicated their desire to participate in the movement is sufficient to make it a success.

Notices of the meeting have been mailed to the prospective members, but all chess players will be welcomed and are invited to become members.

MR. MAYHAN DEAD

Passed Away Yesterday Morning at Home at Delgado.

Mr. Edward Lee Mayhan passed yesterday morning at 6:30 o'clock at his late home, at Delgado as a result of an attack of acute indigestion.

Mr. Mayhan, who was an operator in the Delgado Cotton Mill, has made his home here for the past four years. Besides his widow, he is survived by three daughters, Myrtle, Evelyn and Violet Mayhan; and a son, Ernest Mayhan.

He was a member of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics and the Improved Order of Red Men, having joined these orders at Danville, Va. His remains will be forwarded by train this evening to Burlington, N. C., his former home, for interment.

The funeral services will be held at the home this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Get your Easter Shoes and Slippers at Peterson & Rulfs'. Newest. Best.—(advertisement.)

C. H. Fore & Co., are selling a good quality of ladies' silk hose for 50 and 75 cents. (Advertisement).

A Moment of Great Decisions

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Men's All Wool Fine Weave Serge Suits, well made, Venetian Lined. Big $12.50 value, Easter price $9.95

Men's $15.00 Blue Serge Suits; Men's or Young Men's Models; Beautifully Tailored, at $13.50

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Junior Size, 13, 15 and 17 in the very newest styles of Lingerie and Voile Dresses; Ribbon and Lace Trimmed. Just the thing for Easter at .....$2.50, $3.50 and $4.98

EASTER BLOUSES, $1.98

Plain and Stripe Tub Silk Waist, worth $2.50 and $3.00. All the new Ruffle and Handkerchief effects, Easter price $1.98

READY TRIMMED HATS FOR GIRLS AND MISSES, 48¢ and 98¢

Hundreds of these hats just received yesterday. Made in all the new shapes and are of Straw, Milan Hemp and Cloth. Extraordinary values for the popular prices...48¢ and 98¢

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Morgan, of East Arcadia, were guests yesterday at the Orton.

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Mrs. F. L. Huggins has returned from a visit to friends in Atlanta and Augusta, Ga.

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Mrs. L. J. Merriman has returned from a month's visit to her daughter, Mrs. A. P. Smith, of Savannah, Ga.

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Miss Rosa O. Vaughn, of Lynchburg, Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. V. Cronly, No. 510 South Third street.

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Mrs. J. E. Clark and her nephew, Mr. Harry Foy, Jr., have left for Beaufort, where they will spend a few days with friends.

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Miss Margaret Daughtridge, of Rocky Mount, a niece of Lieut. Governor E. L. Daughtridge, is the guest of Mrs. W. C. Galloway, of this city.

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The Epworth League of Fifth Avenue Methodist church will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock. All the members and their friends are cordially invited to attend.

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Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Randolph, of Elon College, N. C., are visitors in the city and are guests at the Hotel Wilmington. Dr. Randolph is a member of the Elon College faculty.

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Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Guthrie, who arrived here yesterday morning from the Panama Canal zone, where Dr. Guthrie is chief quarantine officer of the United States Health Department, left yesterday afternoon for Southport, where they will visit relatives.

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The Young Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's Episcopal church will give an Easter egg hunt on the lawn at the parish house next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The auxiliary will also conduct a candy sale at the same time. A small admission fee will be charged.

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Yesterday's Raleigh Times: "Mrs. A. J. Field leaves Friday evening for Wilmington to spend several days.—Miss Nannie Lee went to Wilmington Thursday to visit friends. She will attend the wedding of Bishop Darst and Miss Lauriston Hardin, which will be celebrated there next Wednesday.

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WEDDING OF MUCH INTEREST

SOLEMNIZED AT TABOR, N. C.

Tabor, N. C., April 21.—A wedding of much interest in social circles of this section as well as throughout North and South Carolina was that of Mr. William Edgar Cunningham, of Chester, S. C., and Miss Elizabeth Petit Floyd, of Liberty Hill, S. C. The marriage took place in the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon.

The marriage was one of the most beautiful taking place here for many years. The church had been beautifully decorated with long and short leaf pine, intermingled with Southern smilax, against a background of white.

Promptly at 3:30, to the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, the bridal party entered the church, first the little ribbon girls, Annabel Floyd and Harriet Lewis. They were followed by the flower girls, little Leona and Elizabeth Lewis. Then came the ushers, Mr. D. F. McGougan and Dr. G. C. Cox.

The bride entered on the arm of her brother, Mr. W. A. Floyd, of Greenville, S. C., by whom she was given away. Her costume was a lovely fawn colored traveling suit with accessories to match.

The groom entered with his best man, Mr. J. L. Lewis, and met the bride at the altar, where the ring ceremony was impressively performed, under a huge wedding bell, by Rev. W. L. Boggs, of Greenville, S. C.

The happy pair immediately left by automobile with the good wishes of scores of friends, for Clarendon, N. C., where they boarded the train for their future home, Chester, S. C.

The fair young bride was the youngest daughter of Gen. and Mrs. Joseph W. Floyd, and the groom a leading, progressive farmer of Chester, S. C.

On Tuesday evening before the marriage, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. J. L. Lewis, a reception was tendered the bridal party. The guests were met at the door by Mrs. D. A. Humphrey and were soon ushered into the drawing room, where the many and costly gifts were on display. Later refreshments were served in the dining room. Here the color scheme was pink and green and in the center of the table stood a miniature bride.

Misses Cunningham and Newton entertained with music throughout the evening. Those present were Rev. W. L. Boggs, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. McGougan, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Harper, Mrs. Ernest Lewis, Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Justus, Misses Lorena Newton, Marie Cunningham, Margaret Lewis, Dr. G. S. Cox and Messrs. R. C. Harrelson, H. C. Mughes and S. J. Speals, of Wyoming, Del.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Leslie R. Hummell has returned from a business trip to Faison and Clinton.

—Joseph W. Little, Esq., of this city, a candidate for Congress from the Sixth district, spent yesterday among the voters of Bladen county in the interest of his candidacy.

—The British steamship Kingfield, 1,929 tons, Captain Lojie, sailed light yesterday for Portland, Me. The Kingfield arrived about two weeks ago, bringing a cargo of pyrites from Huelva.

—Among the North Carolina arrivals at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday were: W. A. Simpson, Raleigh; B. W. Ingram, Salisbury; W. W. Horn, Monroe; Vandalia Perry and D. J. Elliott, Salisbury.

—Among the arrivals at the Imperial hotel yesterday were: J. E. Rose, Goldsboro; R. M. Herring, Warsaw; E. E. Page, Lumberton; T. B. Howard, Hamlet; J. A. Robertson, Hamlet; W. F. Sandlin, Council.

—Wilmington friends of Mr. W. M. Hand, one of Burgaw's best known citizens, will be glad to learn that he has fully recovered from his recent serious illness, and is able to be out among his many friends again.

—Mr. C. M. Cordell, representing the Charlotte branch of the United States Tire Co., spent yesterday in the city on business with the Cannon Motor Car Company, local distributors of the United States product in this city.

—Mr. J. A. Sharpe, editor of the Lumberton Robesonian, was a visitor in the city yesterday and last night, a guest at the Orton. He came down on a business trip and decided to remain over to attend the Chapman-Alexander meeting last night.

—Among the North Carolina arrivals at the Orton yesterday were: T. R. Varser, Esq., Lumberton; Jackson Greer, Esq., Whiteville; Capt. J. F. Bussells, Southport; Mr. St. Julian Springs, Lake Waccamaw; E. C. Willis, North Wilkesboro; John O'Gorman, Boardman; R. E. Crumpler, Winston-Salem; E. F. Elwell, Raleigh.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Members of the fire department were called out yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock to extinguish a small blaze in a house at Third and Wooster streets, occupied by a colored family. The shingles caught from sparks from sparks from the chimney, and but little damage was done.

—On the grounds that they had violated the terms under which permits were granted them, Chief of Police N. J. Williams yesterday informed two young ladies who have been soliciting subscriptions for magazines at the offices of down-town business men that their permits have been revoked.

ATTRACTIVE PROGRAMMES CARRIED OUT AT SCHOOLS

Commencement Exercises Were Held Last Night at County Institution.

Attractive programmes were carried out last night at he commencement exercises of the Myrtle Grove Sound and Winter Park schools in the presence of many patrons of the schools and friends of the pupils.

The exercises at both schools included a number of interesting recitations, songs and playlets given by the pupils, which were followed by the presentation of diplomas and medals.

The programme for the Myrtle Grove Sound school was as follows:

"Tom Thumb's Wedding," cast of characters: Bride, Thelma Sidbury; bridegroom, Vernon Burris; maid of honor and bridesmaids, Sauvaghn Mawkins, Annie Bryan, Mildred Horne, May Piner; best man and groomsmen, Wilbur Southerland, Linford Piner; flower girls, Marguerite Southerland and Madeline Craig; ring bearer, Eugenia Piner.

"Old School at Hick'ry Holler," cast: Scholars, Wesley Bryan May Piner, James Rhodes, Ellwood Horne, Raymond Willis, Roy Sirbury, Colie Vann, Graydon, Horne, Norman Earl Piner, Truman Southerland Maggie Craig, Sauvaghn Hawkins, Irene Horne Annie Sidbury, Lily Craig, Marie Etta Holt, Sallie Piner; visitor, Mrs. E. W. Hawkins.

"Hick'ry Holler Band," Messrs. George Biddle, Lloyd Sanders, Corbett Davis and James Craig.

"Coon's Concert," by Annie Sidbury, Lilly Craig, Graydon Horne, Irene Horne, Maggie Craig and Colie Vann.

"Smarty," duet by Colie Vann and Maggie Craig.

"If you Won't Be Good to Me," by Roy Siddbury and Sauvaghin Hawkins.

"'Scuse me," by Graydon and Irene Horne.

The farce comedy, "A Poor Married Man" was repeated.

The programme at the Winter Park school was as follows: Song, "How Are You Hoeing Your Row"? recitation, "Rhyme of Cities"; rose drill; recitation, "Mammy's Lullaby"; piano solo; musical selection, mandolin, piano and banjo; play, "April's Lady"; song by pupils, "Just a Little Bit of Cloth, But It's Red, White and Blue."

INTERURBAN LEAGUE GAMES.

Game at Winter Park and at East Wilmington This Afternoon.

At Winter Park this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock the Winter Park team and the Cubs of the Interurban League will play baseball while at the same hour at East Wilmington, the Red Sox and East Wilmington teams of the same league will have a game. These will be the second games for the four teams and it is expected that there will be a large attendance.

Van Landingham will be the umpire at Winter Park and McNamara will umpire at East Wilmington. The game at East Wilmington this afternoon will be the first of the season. A splendid diamond has been arranged and a fine game is promised.

Kinston, N. C., April 21.—Mrs. M. H. Carr, for the past 12 months principal at the Caswell Training school, the state institution for the feeble-minded near here, left yesterday for Greensboro to affiliate herself with the North Carolina Children's home. She is an expert in children's work.

New crepe de chine and linen handkerchiefs today. C. H. Fore & Co. (Advertisement).

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SUNDAY SERVICES

St. Andrews' Presbyterian church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor: Sabbath school Sunday morning at 9:45. Preaching at 11 o'clock. Junior Christion Endeavor at 4 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

Pearsall Memorial Presbyterian church, East Wilmington, Rev. W. H. Koelling, pastor: Sunday school at 10:30 in the morning. Preaching at 11:30. Junior Christian Endeavor at 7:30 and Senior Christian Endeavor at 8 in the evening.

Harnett Street Mission Rev. W. M. Baker, evangelist in charge, Sunday school at 9:30 in the morning. Preaching every fourth Sunday of each month.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor: Preaching in the morning at 11 by the pastor. Christian Endeavor at 10:30. Sunday school at 5 in the afternoon. All are invited.

Bethany Presbyterian church, Rev. Andrew J. Howell, pastor: Services tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Delgado Presbyterian church: Sunday school at 10:15 a. m. No evening service. A large attendance at the Sunday school is desired.

Winter Park Presbyterian church: Sunday school at 10:15 a. m. No preaching services for the day. All members of the Sunday school are urgently requested to atend.

Setting Hen Disappears.

About 4 o'clock yesterday morning a thief secured a setting hen at the residence of Mrs. H. E. Peterson, No. 1808 Castle street, although the foregoing is arrived at only by inference, and the hen may have just gotten tired of her job and strolled away. Or she may have been carried off by a possum or a mink. Her disappearance was discovered about 4:30 o'clock. The police were notified and Officer W. H. Kermon and one of the city's bloodhounds arrived on the scene a few minutes later. The dog trailed the thief, or maybe it was the hen, to a neighbor's porch. The eggs were undisturbed. Up to a late hour last night the hen had not returned.

LUMBERTON GIRL TAKES PART.

In Interscholastic Recitation Contest at Elon College.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Elon College, N. C., April 21.—Thirty-four North Carolina high schools sent 56 out of their 68 allotted representatives to the recitation and declamation contest here today. The preliminary contest was held in sections this morning beginning at 10 o'clock, over which the following judges presided: Dr. T. C. Amick, Prof. E. O. Randolph, Prof. A. L. Hook, Prof. M. F. Brannock, Prof. F. F. Myrick, Mr. W. J. Cotten and Miss Mabel Harris, Miss Lena Ragsdale, Mrs. A. A. Riddle, Miss Bessie Urquhart, Miss Lola Davidson and Miscs Pearl Fogleman.

These judges selected five young men and five young women out of the 56 contestants for the final contest of the evening, as follows: James Palmer, Waynesville; Bernice Woodruff, Walnut Cove; Martin Luther, Lawndale; Flora Prevatt, Lumberton; Aubrey Wiggins, East Durham; Lucy Clapp, Greensboro; Grady Dawson, Greensboro; Mary Dickson Riddick and Verne E. Johnson, Asheville, and Alice Phillips, Asheboro.

The judges in the declamation contest were Rev. L. I. Cox, Capt. H. E. Jorgenson and Mr. P. H. Elkins for the declamation medal. The judges for the recitation medal were Mesdames W. A. Harper, W. P. Lawrence and J. U. Newman.

In the final contest tonight Miss Bernice Woodruff won the recitation medal. Her subject was "Mammy's Little Boy". Aubrey Wiggins won the declamation medal. His subject was "God Has Given America to be Free." Thirty-four high schools and 56 speakers participated.

COMMENCEMENT AT ORRUM

Address Delivered by Major J W Little, of Wilmington.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Orrum, April 21.—The Orrum high school commencement exercises began here last night by a musical programme and exercises by the primary department. These exercises were well attended and much enthusiasm displayed by the scholars and patrons of the school. Today's programme included vocal and instrumental music and the awarding of prizes to the first, second and third grades.

At 11:30 the speaking began with an address by Joseph W. Little, Esq., of Wilmington, who had been invited to make the commencement address. The school auditorium was packed and standing room was at a premium. For fifty minutes Mr. Little spoke upon education and kindred topics and received the closest attention throughout the entire address. The audience was well pleased with the speech and everyone enjoyed it to the fullest extent. Nothing but praise has been heard of Mr. Little and his speech and it is believed that he made many friends.

In fact, Mr. Little has become so well known in Robeson county, having visited the people so frequently, that little trouble is experienced in getting large audiences to hear him.

While in this vicinity Mr. Little took occasion to meet the people in the interest of his candidacy for Congress.

This section is strong for him, and many of the young men of the county are working night and day for his nomination, and the "phophets" are forecasting his success.

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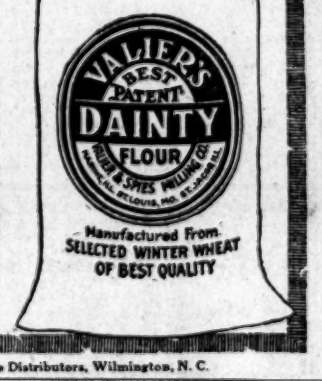
Warning

This season's wheat was the worst in 50 years; badly damaged by too much rain. Flour from such wheat is *weak* and won't rise properly. But we got the cream of what little high grade wheat was raised, by sending our *own men* out for it and paying *premium* prices to get it.

If you want to be *sure* of getting the best baking results now—if you want to make certain of getting flour made from *high* grade wheat, ask for Valier's Dainty Flour. It may cost you a few cents more, but it is guaranteed to make *better* biscuits, cake and pastry.



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SAVES DAUGHTER

Advice of Mother no Doubt Prevents Daughter's Untimely End.

Ready, Ky.—"I was not able to do anything for nearly six months," writes Mrs. Laura Bratcher, of this place, "and was down in bed for three months.

I cannot tell you how I suffered with my head, and with nervousness and womanly troubles.

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I think Cardui is the best medicine in the world. My weight has increased, and I look the picture of health."

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DEAR SIR:—

Prosperous are the times on this side of the water. Everywhere you turn there is a spirit of busy-ness. Factory chimneys are belching smoke, mines are busy supplying them. We are busy raising bumper crops and sharing prosperity in a goodly measure.

There is another spirit abroad in the land, too—which is **showing this prosperity.** Everywhere men are dressing up and letting their fellow-men know that they are alive to the order of the day.

But — The better the times the more reason for thrift in buying clothes or anything else.

It is time to grade up in buying your clothes—to insist on value for every dollar you spend. The success of Kuppenheimer Clothes is based on greater value-giving, likewise the success of our store.

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FOR SHERIFF
Geo. C. Jackson

To the Voters of New Hanover County:

My name will be presented for your consideration at Primary to be held Saturday, June 3rd.

GEO. C. JACKSON.
ap16-49t

FOR SHERIFF

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

The undersigned begs the privilege of placing before you once again his candidacy for Sheriff, to be voted upon at the primary, June 3rd. I seek this honor at your hands, standing upon my service of the past many years, and will appreciate deeply your support, promising at all times to make faithful returns of duty and to have an eye for the welfare of the entire community.

Respectfully,
ap8 to je3 S. P. COWAN.

FOR RECORDER
BROOKE G. EMPIE

I herewith present my name to the voters of New Hanover County for the office of Recorder, to be voted on at the primary to be held June 3rd, 1916.

It will greatly gratify me to have all my old friends' support and I will thank them for any efforts in my behalf in getting some new friends to aid them in nominating me for the office.

Let lawyers interpret the law.

ap14-30t BROOKE G. EMPIE.

FOR SHERIFF.

I announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of New Hanover County, and respectfully solicit the kind consideration and support of the voters at the Primary on June 3rd.

Be sure to see that you are registered, and vote for

Yours truly,
ap16-30t JOS. H. WATTERS.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

The undersigned hereby announces himself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds, in the Primary Election to be held June 3rd, 1916.

I shall endeavor to serve you as efficiently in the future as I have in the past. Respectfully,
ap20-45t* JOHN HAAR.

MARKETS

YESTERDAY A HOLIDAY

Yesterday, Good Friday, being a holiday, the New York, Chicago, New Orleans and other markets were closed, hence no market reports from these centers this morning.

MARINE.

Arrived

Str. Cherokee, Bunnell, Georgetown, C. J. Becker, agent.

Cleared

Str. Kingfield (Br.) 1,929 tons, Lojie, Portland, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers

Str. Nicaria (Ger.) 3,288 tons, Holiasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.) 2,372 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Schr. Ellen Little, 307 tons, Holden, C. D. Mallitt & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted April 20 by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, April 21.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—45c.

ROSIN—Nominal.

TAR—$1.90-9c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — $3.50, $3.50; $3.50.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 45½c.; rosin, $3.00; tar, $1.70-8c.; crude turpentine, $3.00, $3.00, $1.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine .. ..(—)
Rosin ... ...(—)
Tar 7
Crude Turpentine ... ... (—)

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, (—) casks; rosin, (—) barrels; tar, 41 barrels; crude turpentine, 3 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market — 11¼c. Quotations, same day last year, 9½c.

Receipts—450 bales; same day last year, 640 bales.

Total receipts since August 1st, to date, 169,876 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 251,057 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., April 20.

Atlantic Coast Line—390 bales cotton; 7 barrels tar.

Seaboard Air Line—60 bales cotton.

Total—450 bales cotton; 7 barrels tar.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, April 21.)

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, 55c. to 60c. per bushel.

IRISH POTATOES—$1.00.

CORN—$1.75 per sack.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7@9c; good demand.

PORK—Small, 8@10c. per pound.

WOOL—Burry, 17c.; first class, 23c.

HIDES—Green salt, 12@13c; dry flint, 17@20c per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams; 18c.; sides and shoulders, 14c. to 15c. per pound, good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c per pound; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 40c. to 50c.; spring, 20c. to 30c. head. Geese, 55c to 60c per head. Ducks, 35c to 50c owing to quality. Turkeys, 13c per lb., alive.; 20c to 22c dressed.

EGGS—17c. to 18c. dozen.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, April 21.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, steady. Fancy hand picked, 70c; No. 1 machine picked, 65c per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Market, steady. Jumbos, 60c; fancy hand picked, 55c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—Market steady; No. 1, small, machine picked, 80c; Jumbos, 75c per bushel.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., April 21.—Spanish—Farmers' stock. First quality, $1.00 per bu.; nominal.

Virginias—Farmers' stock, market steady. Fancy Jumbo, 4c. per lb.; fancy hand picked, 3¾c. per lb.; extra prime, 3½c. per lb.; prime, 3¼c. per lb.; shelling stock, 2½c. to 3c. per lb.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, April 21.—Beeves, irregular; steers 7.00 to 9.50; bulls 5.75 to 8.00; cows 3.25 to 7.00.

Calves—Lower; veals 7.50 to 10.87; culls 6.00 to 7.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Easier; unshorn sheep 6.50 to 7.50; clipped culls 3.50; medium unshorn lambs 11.57; good to prime clipped 10.25 to 10.50; common and medium spring lambs 5.00 to 6.25.

Hogs—Easier; medium to heavy 9.90 to 10.25; rough 8.75.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, April 21.—Hogs, weak; bulk 9.55 to 9.65; light 9.15 to 9.70; mixed mixed 9.30 to 9.70; heavy 9.20 to 9.75; rough 9.20 to 9.35; pigs 7.25 to 8.90.

Cattle—Steady; native beef steers 7.85 to 10.00; stockers and feeders 5.85 to 8.[illegible]; cows and heifers 4.00 to 9.30; calves [illegible] to 10.00.

Sheep—Steady; wethers 6.90 to 9.10; lambs 7.00 to 11.65.

HEADSTREET'S REVIEW

Demand Reaches Flood Tide Aspects in Commerce and Industry.

New York, April 21.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

"Flood tide aspects characterized demand with superabundant activity, stamping most movements in manufacturing and mercantile lines. While the more serious turn in our international political relations tends to cause concern and some of the lowest prices of the year in stock market prices in other directions thus far have been almost negligible.

"A few other cross currents are visible here and there, conspicuous in this respect being ease in Southern pig iron, lower prices for coke, deferring of building projects because of extraordinarily high quotations, irregularity in Northwestern retail trade, due entirely to weather; however, some sagging in raw material and the continued restlessness of labor. But beyond yielding, is the strong fact that the country's producing units are sold up, and therefore it is quite useless to place orders for anything like nearby delivery.

"Weekly bank, clearing $4,582,662,-[illegible]

WAKE FOREST-RICHMOND DEBATE IN RALEIGH AND RICHMOND

Double-Barrelled Affair to Take Place Monday—Second of Series.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Wake Forest, N. C., April 21.—The second of the series of double-barrelled debates between Wake Forest and Richmond College will take place Easter Monday evening in Raleigh and Richmond. In the event of victory for Wake Forest, in either or both of the debates, the series will be determined in her favor, the Virginians having suffered a double defeat last year.

The negative side of the question, "Resolved,—That the United States should subsidise her merchant marine engaged in foreign trade," will be defended in Richmond by Messrs. R. H. Taylor, of Nash county, and B. M. Boyd, of Mecklenburg county, with J. B. Rucker, of Rutherford county, as alternate. The Wake Forest debaters upholding the affirmative side in Raleigh will be, Messrs. I. L. Bennett, of Brunswick county, and E. B. Cox, of New Hanover county, with J. G. Booe, of Davie county, as alternate. The Richmond College representatives that will speak in Raleigh on the negative side are, Messrs. Wirt L. Davis, and E. W. Miller, with C. C. Boyd, alternate.

The debate in Raleigh will be held in the Academy of Music building at 8 o'clock, with the Hon. J. Bryan Grimes presiding. Judge Hoke, of the North Carolina Supreme Court, Judge J. C. Biggs, and Rev. T. W. O'Kelly, all of Raleigh, will act as judges.

A large delegation from Wake Forest will be in attendance upon the debate in Raleigh.

PROF. R. C. BROOKS AT BURGAW

Speaks at Commencement—Final Exercises Held Last Night

(Special Star Correspondence).

Burgaw, N. C., April 21.—An instructive and inspiring address by Prof. E. C. Brooks, of the faculty of Trinity College, this morning featured the commencement exercises of Burgaw High School, which began last night with exercises in which the children of the lower grades only participated and closed tonight with declamation and recitation contests, presentation of diplomas and a final chorus, "Old Folks' Medley."

The programme this morning, beginning at 11 o'clock, consisted of a chorus greeting, presentation of prizes and attendance certificates, the address by Prof. Brooks and a chorus, "Birth of Spring."

The programme last night included: Opening song, "Robins' Song," duet and chorus; "Hard Times in Boyland," operetta; Fete in Flowerland; Good Night Drill. The little folks acquitted themselves handsomely and reflected much credit on the teachers, showing very careful training. The large audience fully appreciated the performance.

This closes the fourth year of Prof. C. O. Fisher's connection with the school as principal, and it is needless to say that the people here learned with great regret that he severs his connection at this time to go to Cornell University where he will pursue his studies. Mr. Fisher has made a fine reputation here as a teacher and a man of high ideals. The people here will wish him every success in whatever field he may see fit to engage in the future.

MORE SHAD FOR CAPE FEAR

Half a Million "Fry" Received at Fayetteville and Deposited.

Fayetteville, N. C., April 21.—At the request of Mr. W. L. Hawley, of this city, and through the influence of Congressman Godwin, half a million young shad have been sent to Mr. Hawley and deposited by him in the Cape Fear river here. The Observer this afternoon says:

"The people of Fayetteville and the upper Cape Fear have noted the scarcity of shad, a delicious specimen of the finny tribe which has for so many years been the succulent dish in season. Our Congressman, Hon. Hannibal L. Godwin, took an interest in the matter and put his influence to work to secure a few thousand of young shad for distribution in the Cape Fear, and succeeded in having between one-fourth and one-half million sent from government hatcheries at Edenton to Mr. W. L. Hawley, of this city, who this morning turned them loose in the river. Mr. Hawley says they are as fine an assortment as were ever deposited in the Cape Fear river.

"But very few shad were caught in the river this season, and the market has been sparsely supplied from New Bern and Wilmington."

WILL HAVE AMPLE PROTECTION.

No Danger of Will Black Being Lynched When Brought to Trial.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Snow Hill, April 21.—Will Black, assailant of little Mattie Tyson in Greene county, will have ample protection when he is brought here for trial in June, according to Judge H. W. Whedbee, of Greenville, who will preside over the term. Judge Whedbee has been in Snow Hill investigating the sentiment here, and was informed by many persons, it is said, that there is a probability that Black will be lynched, as was his father week before last for incendiary remarks, if he is sent from the State prison without a military guard. Troops will be sent on a special train from Kinston, it is supposed. If necessary two companies from Goldsboro will be brought here. The three companies, comprising a small battalian of nearly 200 men, will be ample to preserve order, it is believed.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT LUMBERTON

Colored Youth Run Over by Auto Truck and Killed.

(Special Star Telegram).

Lumberton, N. C., April 21.—This afternoon about 4 o'clock, Willie Inman, colored, 14 years old, was killed by an auto truck driven by Willie Bullard, a young colored man. The accident occurred at the colored school one mile south of town. Boys were playing ball and the victim is said to have run into the car midway, only the rear wheels passing over him. Skull, neck, back, arm and leg were broken, and chest crushed in. Bullard is in jail.

ACCIDENT PROBABLY FATAL

Two Injured in Automobile Smash at Elkin, N. C., Yesterday.

Winston-Salem, N. C., April 21.—Miss Lucy Hinshaw sustained serious, if not fatal, injuries and Charles Pardue suffered a broken leg as the result of an automobile wreck near Elkin early today. The couple was members of a party of five en route from Yadkinville to Mount Airy, to attend a school commencement.

Allen's Foot-Ease for the Troops.

Many war zone hospitals have ordered Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder, for use among the troops. Shaken into the shoes and used in the foot-bath, Allen's Foot-Ease gives rest and comfort, takes the friction from the shoe, and prevents the feet getting tired or foot-sore. Drug and Department Stores everywhere sell it, 25c. *Don't accept any substitute.* Try it to-day.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

April 22, 1916.

Temperature at 8 A. M. 70 degrees; ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 67 degrees; at 8 P. M., 63 degrees; maximum, 76 degrees; minimum, 64 degrees; mean, 70 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, 1.04 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Thursday, 5.3 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Partly cloudy and cooler Saturday; Sunday fair.

The Port Calendar, April 22, 1916.

Sun rises .....5:32 A. M.
Sun sets .....6:48 P. M.
Day's length .....13 hrs. 16 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	8:58	1:10	8:31	8:28
Southport	10:56	11:29	5:14	5:16
Masonboro Inlet	10:45	11:18	4:54	4:56

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS
April 21, 1916.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P.M.
Abilene	clear	82	48	.0
Asheville	clear	72	52	.06
Atlanta	clear	70	58	.16
Augusta	clear	76	64	.0
Chaston ...	pt cldy	80	66	.0
Charlotte ..	pt cldy	74	62	.0
Chicago	cldy	50	48	.04
Galveston	clear	78	68	.0
Jaxville	cldy	78	64	.16
Mobile	clear	80	60	3.68
Montgomery .	clear	76	62	.40
N. Orleans ...	clear	78	64	.14
New York	cldy	60	46	.0
Palestine	clear	80	56	.0
Pittsburg	rain	66	60	.28
Raleigh	pt cldy	82	62	.0
Savannah	cldy	80	66	.0
Shreveport ...	clear	78	54	.0
St. Louis	cldy	52	46	.01
Washington		..	50	.0

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FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage executed by Matilda A. Hayden, Mary Katherine Hayden, Mary T. Hayden and John Henry Hayden to Nonie F. King, dated the 14th day of February, A. D., 1914, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover county in Book 74, page 424, et seq. expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the front Court House door of New Hanover County, on Monday, the 1st day of May, A. D., 1916, at 12 o'clock M., all of the right, title, interest, property and estate of the said John Henry Hayden in and to all of that lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the county of New Hanover, state of North Carolina, city of Wilmington, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—

BEGINNING at a point in the western line of Third street, 66 ft. south from the intersection of said western line of Third street with the southern line of Princess street, and running thence southwardly along said western line of Third street 66 ft.; thence westwardly parallel to Princess street 165 ft.; thence northwardly parallel to Third street 66 ft.; thence eastwardly parallel to Princess street 165 ft. to the point of beginning. The same being the eastern half of Lot 2, Block 166, according to the official plan of the city of Wilmington.

At this sale, only the interest conveyed by the said John Henry Hayden to said Nonie F. King by the said mortgage will be sold, and not the interest of Matilda A. Hayden, who owns a life estate in the said [illegible] for the interest of Mary Katherine Hayden, Mary T. Hayden, or any other interest other than the interest which John Henry Hayden owned in said property at the time of the execution of the said mortgage.

Dated and posted this the 31st day of March, A. D., 1916.

NONIE F. KING,
Mortgagee.

E. K. BRYAN,
Attorney.

ap 1-30t.

NOTICE OF PRIMARY

Whereas, under the State-wide primary act there is to be held in the several election precincts of North Carolina a primary for all State officers, representatives in Congress, district officers, etc., and

Whereas, the Democratic Executive Committee of New Hanover County has ordered a primary for County officers, and member of the legislature from New Hanover County, township officers, etc., to be held on the same date, to wit, June 3rd, 1916, and

Whereas, under said State-wide primary act a period of registration for voters whose names do not now appear on the registration books of New Hanover County, is required to be had between the dates of April 27th and May 20th, 1916, and

Whereas, said Democratic Executive Committee has authorized the Chairman to call said County Democratic primary on June 3rd, 1916, and provide for registration in conformity with the State-wide primary act, and to prescribe the fees for candidates, and

Whereas, by a resolution of the said Democratic Executive Committee, all notices of candidacy for County offices, or member of the legislature from New Hanover county, township officers, etc., are required to be filed with the Democratic Executive Committee of New Hanover County on or before April 22nd, 1916.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the above, and in conformity with the State-wide primary act, there shall be held in the County of New Hanover on the 3rd day of June, 1916, between the hours of sunrise and sunset, at the several polling precincts to be hereafter designated by the Board of Elections of New Hanover County, a primary election for all State officers, representatives in Congress, district officers, etc., and

Likewise, between said hours of sunrise and sunset on said June 3rd, 1916, there shall be held at the several polling precincts of New Hanover County a Democratic primary election for all county officers, member of the legislature, township officers, etc., in accordance with the New Hanover County primary act, and

Both of said primary elections shall be conducted by the same election officials in the same booths, etc., etc.

And, in accordance with the aforesaid primary act, the registrars to be appointed on April 22nd by the Board of Elections, shall open the registration books on April 27th, for the registration of the voters, and said books shall remain open up to and including May 20th and the same books of registration shall be adopted and used in both of said primary elections.

And all Candidates to be voted upon in said county democratic primary election are hereby notified to file with John W. Gafford, Esq., a member of the Democratic Executive Committee, on or before the 22nd day of April, 1916, their notice of Candidacy, accompanied by the following fees:

Candidates for Sheriff $5.00
Candidates for Recorder $5.00
Candidates for Clerk of Court....$5.00
Candidates for Solicitor $5.00
Candidates for Register of Deeds..$5.00
Candidates for Auditor $5.00
Candidates for Legislature $5.00
Candidates for County Comm'r . . .$1.00

The candidates so filing notice shall be certified by the Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of New Hanover County, and three members as required by law to the Chairman of the Board of Elections on Monday, April 24th, 1916.

Democratic Executive Committee of New Hanover County,

J. HERBERT JOHNSTON,
Chairman.

This notice is approved.

C. W. WOODWARD,
Chairman.

Board of Elections New Hanover County

ap14-10t

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J. M. HALL,
L. M. BUNTING,
Councilmen.

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S. S. Cherokee .....Tuesday, May 2nd

Wilmington to New York.

S. S. Cherokee .....Monday, April 24th
S. S. Cherokee .....Friday, May 5th

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On sale April 25, 26, 27; limited returning Midnight, April 29th.

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On sale May 5, 6 and 7th; limited returning Midnight, May 16th.

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On sale April 24 and 25th; limited returning Midnight, May 3rfd.

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and return.

Account United Confederate Veterans' Reunion. Tickets on sale May 13-17th, inclusive; limited until May 25th.

$11.50
Asheville, N. C.,
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Account Southern Baptist Convention. Tickets on sale May 13th to 17th, inclusive, limited until May 31st. Extension of final limit may be obtained until June 15th, by deposit of ticket with authorized agent and payment of fee of $1.00.

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No. 62. 3:25 P.M. Daily.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 55. 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmintogn, August and Atlanta. Pullman cars between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. 12:50 P. M. Daily.
No. 59. 6:20 P.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. 10:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs., Sat. only.
No. 42. 6:45 P.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41 9:50 A.M. Daily.

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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect November 15, 1915.

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EASTBOUND			WESTBOUND		
Leave Front and for Winter Park	Leave Front and for Wrightsville	Leave... Front and for Beach	Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave Beach for Wilmington
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a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a6:30 A. M.	a7:36 A. M.	a7:25 A. M.	.....
6:55 A. M.	6:55 A. M.	b6:55 A. M.	8:01 A. M.	7:50 A. M.	7:40 A. M.
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11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	12:36 P. M.	12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
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$12.65 GOLDSBORO, N. C., to BIRMINGham, Ala., and return, account Annual Reunion United Confederate Veterans. Tickets on sale May 13 to 17, inclusive. Final limit, May 25. Final limit may be extended to June 14, by depositing ticket and payment of 50 cents at Birmingham.

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CANDIDATES RUSH TO REGISTER FOR PRIMARY

Marshall Withdraws as Republican Candidate for Congress

Many Registrations Yesterday for State Senate. Today is Last Day to Register—New Corporations Chartered.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 21.—During this, the last day but one, for the registration of candidates with the state board of elections for the State-wide primaries to be held June 3, there were registrations by R. W. Harris, Dillsboro, as Republican candidate for State treasurer and by C. R. Pough, of Elizabeth City, as Republican candidate for superintendent of public instruction. Leslie E. Jones, Swan Quarter, registered as Republican candidate for Congress in the First district.

There were numbers of registrations as candidates for the State Senate as follows: W. D. Pollock, Kinston, Democrat, Seventh district; W. L. Long, Roanoke Rapids, Republican, Fourth district; J. A. Oates, Fayetteville, Democrat, Thirteenth district; Bruce Craven, Democrat, Twenty-second district; Thomas Taylor, Townesville, Vance county, Democrat, Sixteenth district; J. DeHart, Democrat, Thirty-seventh district; A. T. Hayes, Democrat, Thirty-seventh district; G. S. Harrell, Democrat, Thirty-second district.

S. E. Marshall, Mount Airy, has notified the State Board of his withdrawal as candidate for Republican nomination for Congress in the Fifth district.

R. B. Nixon, New Bern, sent his application to register as candidate for the State Senate, but wrote that he affiliated with Democratic and Republican parties both and Chairman Lamb has to await a specific declaration for one or the other of the parties before he can be registered.

A charter was issued today for the Groves Mills (Inc.), of Gastonia, capital $300,000 authorized and $140,000 subscribed by L. F. and H. H. Groves, L. L. Jenkins and J. R. and W. C. Withers for general cotton milling business.

Another charter is for the Bank of Spruce Pine, capital $25,000 authorized and $10,000 subscribed by J. Mark English, J. S. Sparks and others for general banking business.

DR. BARR'S INSTALLATION IS DECLARED ILLEGAL AND NULL

Jefferson Presbytery Directed to Remove LaFayette Church From Roll.

New Orleans, April 21.—The commissioners appointed by the General Assemblies of the Northern Presbyterian and the Southern Presbyterian churches in a joint report made public here today held that Rev. Dr. J. C. Barr's installation as pastor of the LaFayette Presbyterian church independent, of this city, was illegal and null. Dr. Barr's case, it was said, was one of the instances of alleged violation of comity between the two branches of Presbyterians, for settlement of which the Southern Assembly in Newport News, and the Northern Assembly in Rochester appointed commissioners in May, 1915.

About two years ago the LaFayette congregation here ceceded from the New Orleans Presbytery (Southern) because of a dispute concerning jurisdiction over church property. The local congregation declared itself an independent Presbyterian church and Dr. Barr was admitted to membership in the Jefferson Presbytery, of the synod of Texas, affiliated with the Northern Presbyterians. The case then went to the General Assemblies of both churches.

The joint commission held Dr. Barr was subject to the Jefferson Presbytery's jurisdiction; that his conduct and that of the executive commission of Jefferson Presbytery "was not in harmony with comity agreements and to be deeply regretted," and that the reception of the LaFayette congregation's call to Dr. Barr and his installation as pastor were beyond the Presbytery's powers. The joint commission directed Jefferson Presbytery to remove the LaFayette church from its roll and assign Dr. Barr to a new field.

ARRANGE FOR NEGOTIATIONS WITH RAILROAD EMPLOYES

Officials of Roads in Three Territories Meet in New York.

New York, April 21.—Presidents or other executive officials of the railroads in all three territories affected by the demands of the four brotherhoods of railway employes for higher wages and an eight-hour day met here today to make preliminary arrangements for the coming negotiations with the executives of the brotherhoods for a settlement of the demands.

A committee consisting of the secretaries of the three groups of railroad managers—John G. Walber, of the eastern roads; J. W. Higgins, of the western, and C. E. Neill, of the southwestern, was appointed to meet the officers of the brotherhoods to arrange for a time and place for carrying on negotiations. It was thought likely that either New York or Chicago would suit the wishes of both sides.

The demands of the employes were presented to the railroads individually on April 1 with the request that the roads join in settling the questions at issue collectively. They were given until April 29 to make a reply which is expected to soon be forthcoming.

PASSENGER FOUND DEAD

Body Cold in Berth When Train Arrives at Hamlet.

Hamlet, N. C., April 21.—The body of a passenger believed to be Dr. Ellis Wentworth, of Warren, Pa., and St. Petersburg, Fla., was discovered in a berth on a northbound Seaboard Air Line train on its arrival here today. A mileage book among other articles possessed by the passenger contained the address of Dr. Wentworth. Physicians expressed the opinion that death was due to natural causes.

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SECURITIES AMOUNTING TO $400,000 ARE FOUND

Edward J. Quigley is Arrested by Postal Authorities.

Has in His Possession All the Papers Stolen from Mail Wagon on Ferry Boat at New York February 26th, Last

Baltimore, April 21.—A man giving the name of Edward J. Quigley, having in his possession all the securities stolen on a ferry boat at New York on February 26th, was arrested here this evening.

The arrest was a piece of good luck by the postal authorities. Quigley was seized on suspicion of being wanted in St. Louis for raising money orders. An alleged confederate, named George F. Windall was arrested with him, but is held on a technical charge. Quigley fought against arrest, tried to get a loaded pistol from his packet, but was overpowered by the inspectors and the pistol and a quantity of what is believed to be cocaine taken from him. His alleged confederate submitted to arrest but denied they knew each other, although the inspectors saw them together.

Quigley's grip contained a large bundle, inside which were found certificates of stock of aggregate face value of $400,000. A sight draft for $38,000 drawn on S. B. Chaplin & Company, of New York, by Smith, Lockhart & Company, of Baltimore, also was found in the satchel, attached to certificates for Union Pacific & Northern Pacific stock.

Chief Postoffice Inspector J. C. Koons said he believed that the satchel contained all the securities sent from Baltimore in the registered mail pouches stolen on the New York ferry boat.

Quigley said the satchel was left on the train by a man and woman who got off at Philadelphia and that he took it. This was all that he would say after three hours' examination in the Federal office here. He said he was on his way to New Orleans from New York.

One theory of the postoffice people here is that he came intending to make a deal with the persons owning the securities. Thomas F. Benson, who was released in New York today on bail on the charge of stealing some other pouches, is thought to be a confederate of Quigley. One took the jewelry and the other the securities, in the officials' opinion.

Quigley said he was 36 years old and lives in Austin Crimpler and Robert Willifford.

An interesting feature was a race between runners with messages respectively from Bickett and Daughtridge, candidates for governor, the Daughtridge runner coming under the rope just two feet ahead of the Bickett sprinter and the messages of each of the distinguished North Carolinians being read to the large crowd assembled.

Pupils entered the contests from the following counties: Bladen, Brunswick, Carteret, Columbus, Craven, Cumberland, Duplin, Greene, Harnett, Hoke, Johnston, Jones, Lenoir, New Hanover, Onslow, Pender, Robeson, Sampson, Scotland, Wayne and Wilson.

Mr. Frank Hare, of Lillington, is chairman of the executive commitee.

The preliminary contests on recitations and declamation were held this morning, being divided into classes and sections, and the winners in the contests entered the final contest which was held in the auditorium of the central school building tonight.

The preliminary contest in recitation was held at the graded school auditorium at 10:30, the following entering the contest: Miss Martha Fairley, Laurinburg; Eula Starling, Godwin; Elizabeth Evans, Rowland; Naomi Norton, Lillington; Celia Bonner, Vanceboro, Craven County Farm Life School; Ellen Bain, Eastover.

The winners in this preliminary contest were: Misses Martha Fairley, Eula Starling, Ellen Bain and Elizabeth Evans.

The declamation contest was held in the Sunday school room of Hay Street Methodist church, and was entered into by the following young men: Floyd McLean, Bladenboro; Harvey Evans, Laurinburg; Donnie Benson, Atkinson; Billy Hall, Teachey; Edwin Howard, Craven County Farm Life School; George Balentine, Abbotsburg; Stanton McKinnon, Rowland; John Washbourne, Lillington; Robbie Williford, Eastover.

Those who entered the composition contest at the graded school were: Donnie Benson, Atkinson; Margaret Brown, Craven County Farm Life school; Amy Graham, Godwin; Elizabeth Evans, Rowland.

Those in the spelling contest were: Miss Edna Grubbs, Laurinburg; Donnie Benson, Atkinson; Norma Pope, Godwin; Stanton McKinnon, Rowland; Miss Annie Jane McNeill, Lillington.

The result of the spelling contest this morning was as follows: Miss Norma Pope, Godwin, 96; Salter Melvin, Eastover, 95; Miss Margaret Brown, Vanceboro, 93; Miss Annie Jane McNeill, Lillington, 88; Miss Edna Grubbs, Laurinburg, 86. Miss Norma Pope, of Godwin, having made the highest record, was awarded the prize, a medal.

GOVERNMENT RADIO MESSAGES REACHING FOREIGN AGENTS

Report Regarding Lake Bluff Wireless Station is Investigated.

Chicago, April 21.—Results of a department of justice investigation into reports that contents of government wireless messages were reaching representatives of foreign governments through leakage at the wireless station at the Lake Bluff Naval Training School, near here, were forwarded to Washington today.

Hinton G. Clabaugh, chief of the local bureau of the Department of Justice declined to say that his investigation disclosed.

"Complaint was made," said Mr. Clabaugh, "that Hugh W. Fischer, chief clerk to the commandant at the training school where the wireless is located, was living in the same house with Hugo Silvestri, Austro-Hungarian consul. I did find them living at the same house, but I cannot say more as to my investigation."

Mr. Clabaugh's information also included a story that a telegraph instrument had been heard in the Fischer home. Mr. Fischer denied that there were any telegraph instruments in his home. Silvestri said he would welcome an investigation.

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FAYETTEVILLE HOST TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

For Annual Contests of the Southeastern N. C. Division

Miss Margaret Brown, of Craven, Wins Composition Contest; Miss Norma Pope, of Cumberland, Spelling—Other Features.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., April 21.—The southeastern division of high schools of North Carolina, an organization covering 21 counties, met here today for the holding of its annual academic and athletic contests. The contests were brought to a close tonight with recitation and declamation finals in the auditorium of the Fayetteville High School.

Miss Margaret Brown, of Vanceboro, representing the Craven county Farm Life schoo., won the composition contest in the afternoon, which required each contestant to write a composition in 20 minutes on a subject unannounced until the beginning of the contest.

Miss Brown was also third in the spelling contest, first and second places going to Cumberland scholars, Miss Norma Pope, of Godwin, with a score of 96, and Salter Melvin, of Eastover, 95.

The track meet in the afternoon was won by Eastover school, of Cumberland county, with 24 points. The Craven county Farm Life school took second place with 18 points, while Abbottsburg was third with 12. Lillington, Godwin, Bladenboro and Stedman finished in the order named.

Forty-five schools were represented at the meet, representing 21 counties and there were 125 contestants in the various events on the programme for the day.

The declamation contest was won tonight by Wilbur Hall, of the Teachey High school, and the recitation prize was won by Miss Ellen Bain, of Eastover High school.

In the athletic contests the 100-yard dash was won in their order by Page, of Abbottsburg; Stilley, of Vanceboro, and Melvin, of Eastover; time 11:05.

The 220-yard dash winners were Page, of Abbottsburg; Stilley and Croom, of Vanceboro; time 24.05. The running high jump went to S. Melvin, of Eastover; record five feet, four inches. The relay race was won—three-eighths of a mile—by C. Melvin, Austin Crimpler and Robert Williford.

ROBBERY OCCURRED ON FERRY BOAT BOUND FOR NEW YORK

New York, April 21.—The robbery for which Edward J. Quigley was arrested at Baltimore tonight, occurred here February 26, when four packages of registered mail were removed from an automobile truck while in transit on a ferry boat fro mthe Communipaw, N. J., station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey to Liberty street, New York. The packages, three of which were from Washington, D. C., an done from Baltimore, Md., were stolen from mail pouches.

It was announced later that many thousands of dollars' worth of securities sent from Baltimore and addressed to Potter, Choate and Prentice, members of the New York Stock Exchange, had been taken from the automobile truck. The New York Trust Company also announced that two railroad gold bonds, which had been mailed to them from Baltimore, were missing.

MEDILL M'CORMICK ATTACKS PRESIDENT'S FOREIGN POLICY.

Illinois Republican Convention Endorses Sherman for President.

Peoria, Ill., April 21.—Medill McCormick, of Chicago, as temporary chairman of the Republican State convention here today, in criticising President Wilson's foreign policy, declared the Americans might "almost hear across the Rio Grande the snigger which greets our futile admonitions." At the same time, he said, "Great Britain and Germany, with unconcealed disdain, received in short succession the communications of the President."

The President's notes to Germany, the chairman declared, were "palsied" by the President's course in Mexico.

The convention endorsed Senator L. Y. Sherman, of Illinois, for President, nominated 29 presidential electors and then recessed until September 19, when the delegates will re-convene to adopt a platform.

VISIT MRS. SAYRE

President and Mrs. Wilson Spend a Short Time in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, April 21.—The President and Mrs. Wilson arrived here late today and spent an hour with the President's daughter, Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, and his granddaughter, Eleanor Axson Sayre, born in Jefferson hospital, this city, March 26.

It was announced that the grandchild weighed eight and a half pounds. Mrs. Wilson was given a photograph of the baby.

While at the hospital Mrs. Wilson was escorted through some of the wards and visited the sick.

The President visited his daughter at this time because she will leave the hospital tomorrow for her home in Williamstown, Mass., Mr. Sayre will arrive here tonight to accompany her home.

President and Mrs. Wilson returned to Washington.

PASSENGER FOUND DEAD ON PULLMAN CAR AT HAMLET, N. C.

Apparently Wealthy Pennsylvanian Evidently Died Suddenly in Berth.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Hamlet, N. C., April 21.—As Seaboard Florida train No. 4, from Jacksonville, arrived at Hamlet this morning, the porter on one of the Pullman cars discovered that one of the passengers could not be awakened. Upon investigation it was found that he was dead. Further investigation disclosed that the passenger, a man of about 65, was Dr. Ellis Wentworth, of Warren, Pa., a mileage book giving his address as St. Petersburg, Fla., and Warren, Pa.

The body was removed from the train at Hamlet and turned over to an undertaker and communication had with parties at Warren Pa. The deceased was apparently a man of wealth and influence and his death must have been sudden as there was no evidence of any struggle. The railroad authorities are trying to locate his family.

C. H. Fore & Co., is the place to buy kid gloves, silk gloves and hosiery. (Advertisement).

CANADA DENIES REPORT.

Will Not Search Ships Touching at Ports Along the Lakes.

Ottawa, Ont., April 21.—It is officially stated here that there is no foundation for the fear that the Canadian government contemplates examining ships touching at Canadian lake ports and the removal of sailor subjects of belligerent nations. At the marine department, which would have cognizance of such a step, it was emphatically denied that any action of that nature was planned.

Cleveland, O., April 21.—George A. Marr, secretary of the Lake Carriers' Association, today said he had written a letter to Secretary of Commerce Redfield, asking him to investigate a report that the Canadian government is planning to search all lake ships touching Canadian ports and remove sailors of belligerent nationality.

TO SPEAK IN FAYETTEVILLE

Hon. T. W. Bickett to Address Democratic Voters of Cumberland Today

Fayetteville, N. C., April 21.—Attorney General T. W. Bickett, candidate for governor, will address the Democrats of Cumberland county at the county convention here tomorrow, it was announced today. A very large attendance is expected, as the people of the county are very much interested in the political situation at this time.

Business Locals

FOR SUNDAY—TRY OUR FROST Frutti. Will also have vanilla, strawberry, cherry, pineapple, maple nut and chocolate. Sweet cream and whipped cream. Butter milk and fresh butter every day except Sunday. Phone 120. Frost Ice Cream Co., No. 13 Princess street. ap 22-1t

STOLEN FROM PORCH, 713 SURRY street, between 7 and 9:30 o'clock last night, Iver-Johnson bicycle; pump bears initials "E. M. B." Under seat wrapped with heavy cord. Front tire has two holes in casing. Any information thankfully received. Phone 51. ap 22-2t

NEW WAY MARKET—EASTER OFferings: Native spring lamb, milk fed broilers, special fed roasters, peanut fed turkeys, squabs, fresh lobsters direct from New York; lamb's tongue, brains, milk veal, real calf liver, F. F. V. hams, boiled ham, extra small pig pork loin, fresh eggs, cheese, rarebit, Nippy Snappy Longhorn, Roquefort, Swiss, Astor House rice, just plain rice, no coating; health bran. Now listen to me! See what we have: Native strawberries, 500 crates; tomatoes, 31 cents four quarts; new crop potatoes, Big Boston lettuce, French endive or Easter salad, eschallots, new peas, beans, rhubarb, Asparagus, chives, cucumbers, cauliflower, Lima beans, white onions, green onions, Dixie yams, green cabbage, carrots, celery, mint, spinach, turnip salad, water cress, pineapple, grape fruit, 6 for 25c; lemons, 10c dozen; oranges, guava jelly, apples, bananas, olives, cherries, alligator pears. Phones 816 and 817. W. H. McEachern. ap 28-1t

EGGS, EGGS, EGGS—FRESH COUNtry eggs, 5 dozen $1.00; North Carolina hams, 20 cents. Get yours before they are gone. Tripp Grocery, No. 8 Market street. Phone 1002 ap 22-1t*

Seventh and Grace streets. 16 ounces and standard articles for your money. Quick and accurate service. Phone 460. ap 22-1t

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY—BEST pig meat, 17c lb.; smoked breakfast bacon, 15½c lb.; whole head rice, 10c qt.; Eagle Brand milk, 15c; Autocrat and Caraja coffee, 28c lb.; White House coffee, 33c lb.; "Osceola" flour, 40c sack; "Rob Roy", 48c; "Sensation," 50c. Brooklyn Grocery Co., Phone 824-W. ap 22-1t*

EASTER OFFERINGS AT RANKIN'S— Eggs, 21 cents doz.; Porto Rico potatoes, 20 cents per peck. See our Easter display, "16 ounces, the point here." Call 460. Cash Grocers. ap 22-1t

SPECIAL FOR EASTER—ICE CREAM Easter egg design. New and delicious. Chocolate, vanilla, peach, pineapple and caramel ice cream. A. G. Warren Ice Cream Co., Phone 485. ap 22-1t*

DON'T FORGET TO CALL 'PHONE 1397 for nice cut flowers, blooming pot plants. Dan Benton, 408 South Fourth street. ap 22-1t*

LAMBS, LAMBS, LAMBS—DRESSED chickens, the very best in the city. Country pig pork; very best of beef, veal, etc. Nice turkeys, Swift Premium hams, country eggs, all kinds of early fresh vegetables. Phone us your orders. Will appreciate them. Batson's Meat Market. Phone No. 73. ap 22-tf

FOR SALE—ONE PAIR SOUND mules. Independent Ice Co. ap 22-2t

WANTED—TO BUY FOR CASH ONE car each laths and shingles per week. Send samples and quote delivered Rocky Mount. Address Carolina Building Supply Co., Rocky Mount, N. C. ap 22-2t

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN EXPERienced in office work. Temporary position. Box 57, City. Apply in own handwriting. ap 22-2t

EASTER FLOWERS—FRESH CUT flowers and plants. Large daffodils, 75 cents per doz.; tulips, hyacinths, geraniums, ferns, etc., in pots. Phone 779-W. 416 South Second street. ap 22-1t*

ONLY TODAY—LARGE JUMBO CELEry, 15 cents per stalk; grape fruit, 5 cents each. The busiest grocery. Hall & Ross, Inc., phones 7, 8 and 140. ap 22-1t

TYPEWRITERS FOR SALE OR EXchange. Remingtons, Underwoods, L. C. Smith and other makes. Prices on Fixed-up machines, $10.00 and up. Typewriter supplies for all machines. Write for price list. B. W. Thacker, 814 Murchison Bank Building. ap21-3t

COLUMBIA GRAFANOLAS AND LATest double disc records just received. Call and hear them. Yopp & Woody Music Co., 317 North Front. 'Phone 313. ap21-tf

GRAPE FRUIT, GRAPE FRUIT — ALL sizes just received. Bear Produce and Merchandise Co.; No. 19 Market street. 'Phone 323. ap21-3t

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WANTED — COMBINATION STENOgrapher and book-keeper with experience and ability for mercantile business, in good town of two thousand population, within one hundred miles of Wilmington. Pleasant position for young lady willing to work, with interest of employer at heart, and will carry with it opportunity of advancement as efficiency is demonstrated. State salary and give references and send photo, if can. Address "Combination," care Star. ap21-2t*

ORANGES, GRAPE FRUIT AND LEMons just received. Nice stock. Send us your order. Bear Produce and Merchandise Co., Wilmington, N. C. ap21-7t

SECOND HAND GAS STOVES WANTed. In answering please state price and condition of stove. Address all communications to Box 165, Washington, N. C. ap21-3t

GREENVILLE SOUND—REMEMBER the Tietjen Place will be sold at Public Auction on April 25, at noon, at the court house to the highest bidder. Contains about 67 acres, fronts over 1,000 feet on sound; is on the new Greenville road. Desirable for summer home. For information call 1611. ap 16-10t

OLD NEWSPAPERS, SUITABLE FOR wrapping or placing under carpets, tied up in neat bundles and for sale at this office, 10 cents per hundred. mh23-tf

SWEET CREAM AND MILK FOR SALE —Pine Grove Dairy Farm. Adolph G. Ahrens, proprietor. 'Phone 936. m.28-tf

SPRING IS HERE—HAVE THAT OLD bicycle repaired, ride a bicycle and be healthy. We send for and deliver. Full line of the very best new bicycles just received, also have about 100 good second-hand ones for sale cheap. Anything in the sundry line. Prices right. Phone No. 526. Wilmington Cycle Co., 215 Market street. ap 22-2t

WANTED — FIRST CLASS MAN TO file and take care of circular saw mill, cut 25,000 feet per day. Address "Circular," care Star. ap19-7t

WANTED — LADIES' AND GENTLEmen's hats to clean and block. Work guaranteed. 'Phone 395. City Hat Works, 114 North Front st. ap18,30t*

QUALITY PRINTING; FACSIMILE EMbossing and engraving; multigraphing, typewriting; Notaries Public. Harriss Typewriting & Adv. Co. fe17-tf

UNREDEEMED SINGER DROP-HEAD sewing machine, at a very low price, at Uncle Charles' Pawn Shop, No. 6 South Front street. 'Phone 642. mh29-tf

FOR SALE — SIX-ROOM COTTAGE AT Winter Park; water, sewerage and lights; located on highest spot in Park; just a hundred yards from station, between shell road and car line. Lot 99x240 feet. Has large barn, servants' quarters and fruit trees. Address "Cottage," care Star. mh23-tf

NEW — WE HAVE RECEIVED A FEW copies of the World Almanacs, which we are selling for 25 cents per copy; by mail, 35 cents per copy 'Phone your orders to 745. Gordon Bros. mh1-tf

WOOD, WOOD, WOOD—WE HANDLE only the good dry kind. Call us for prices. Phone No. 341. Prompt delivery. Union Wood Company, Oscar P. Peck, Prop. mh 25-30t

FOR SALE — 1,000 TONS 71-2 PER cent prime cotton seed meal, at a very low price. Wire me, collect, if you are interested; I can sell you. V. B. Sharpe, Maxton, N. C. mh9-tf

THIS IS TO NOTIFY THE PUBLIC that we have moved into our old stand, No. 315 North Front street, where we will be glad to see our customers. We give the best service, style and price. Yee Lee's California Laundry. ap18-7t*

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